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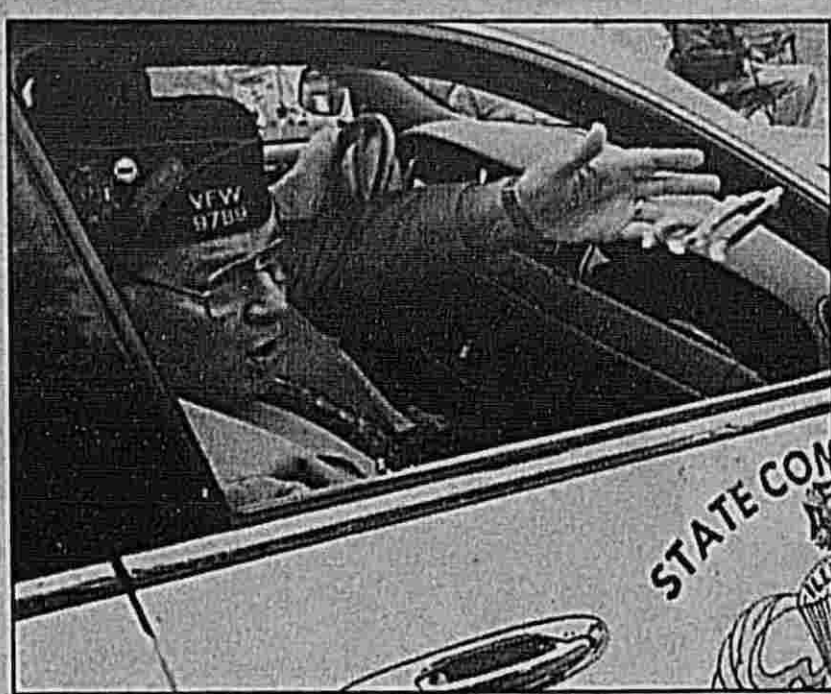
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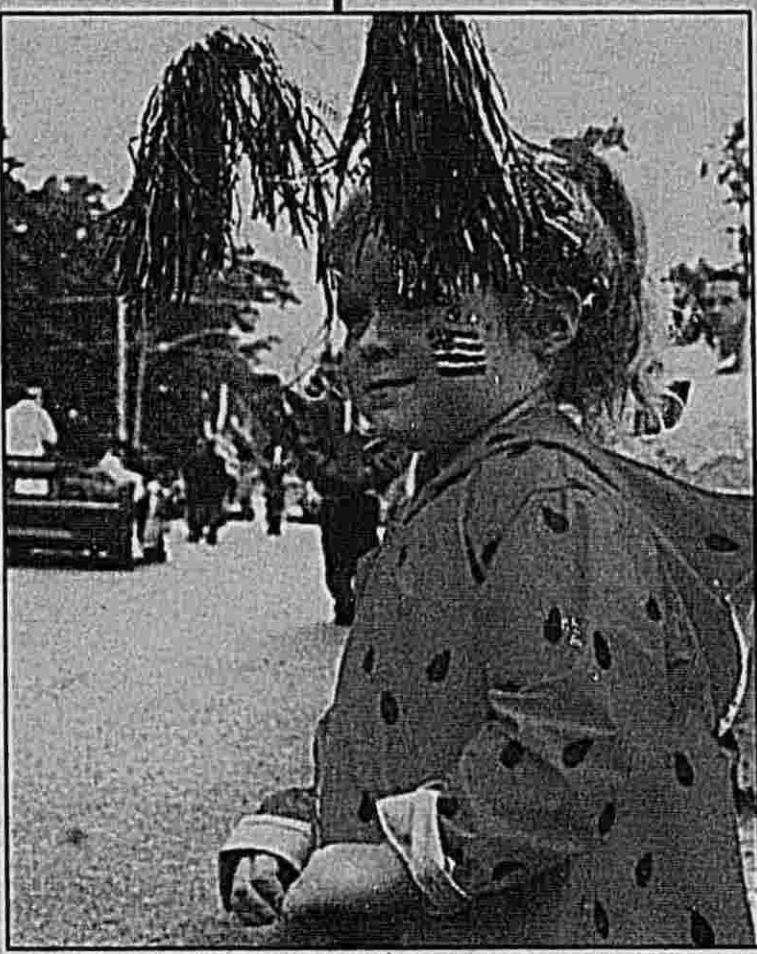


Heroes remebered

(top-left) Veterans of Foreign Wars State Commander Terry Vance throws candy to young onlookers during the Lake Villa Memorial Day Parade.



(bottom-left) Nick Coles 15, gives his sister Steph, 10, a push before joining the lineup for Lake Villa's annual Memorial Day Parade on McKinley Avenue.



(right) Three-year-old Courtney Sanders of Lake Villa shows her patriotism while watching the village's annual Memorial Day Parade.
—Photos by Sandy Bressner

Memorial Day crash kills 2 on Route 45

Collision claims lives of Round Lake Beach woman, 45, son, 14

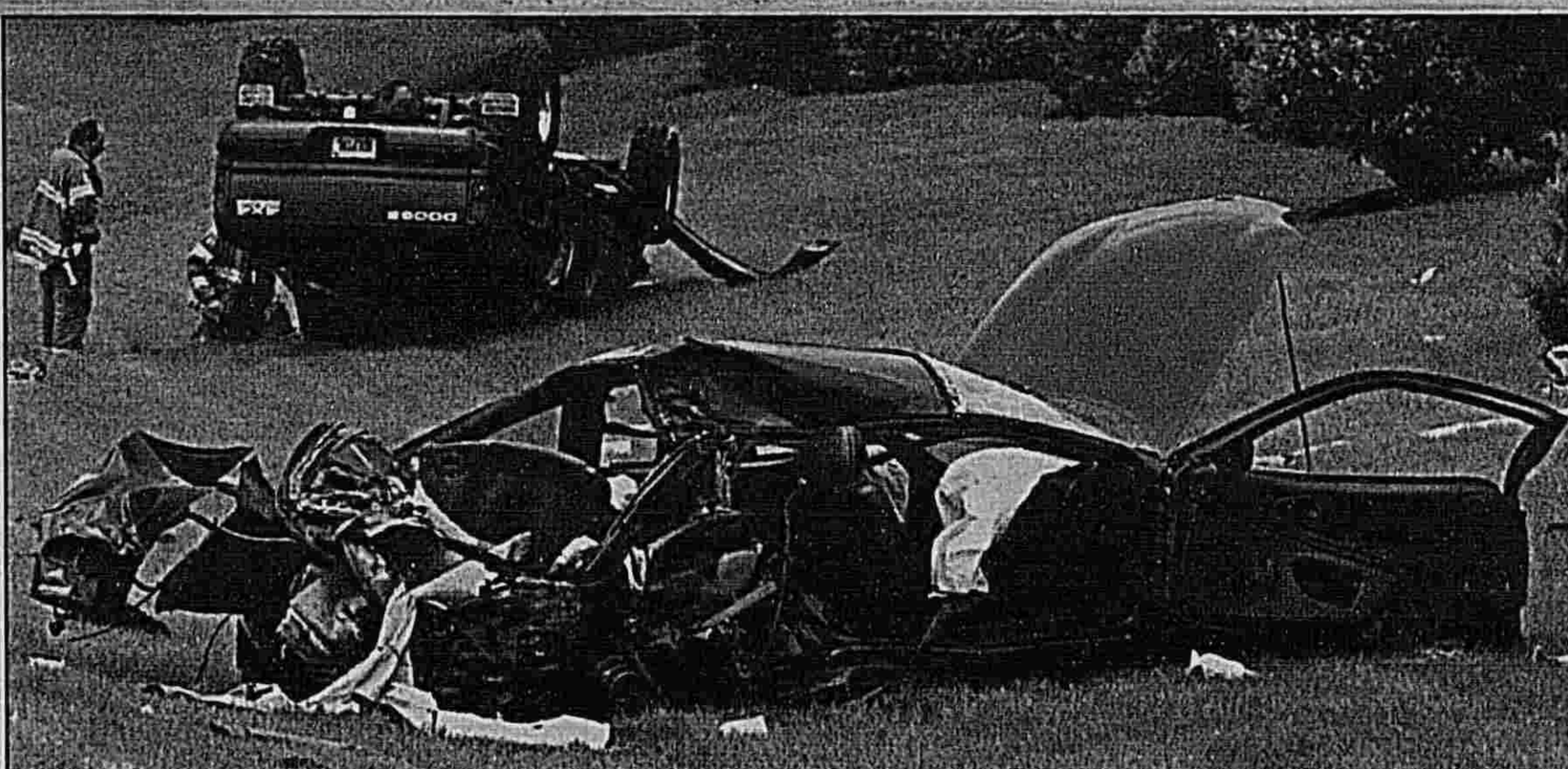
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Fourteen-year-old De-Jon Burns life ended just two days away from his graduation from McGee Middle School. On May 31, at 1:27 p.m., he and his mother, Tandra Lindsey, 45, both of Round Lake Beach, crashed into a pick-up truck on Route 45, near Falling Waters Boulevard, north of Grand Avenue, in Lindenhurst.

Lindsey was airlifted to Advocate Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge, where she died at 12:26 a.m. on June 1.

Her son was taken from the accident scene to St. Therese Medical Center in Waukegan, where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

Robert L. Bode, 44, of Antioch, exited the truck on his own, and was taken to St. Therese, where he was treated for superficial injuries and released.



A truck-car crash in Lindenhurst killed a mother and her son from Round Lake Beach, who were traveling in a 2004 Chevrolet Cavalier (foreground). The driver of the truck escaped with minor injuries.—Photo by Peter Dingman

According to Lindenhurst Police, Lindsey, driving a 2004 Chevrolet Cavalier, was heading southbound, when her tires struck the gravel shoulder. She either rebounded or swerved to the left, colliding with Bode, who was heading northbound in his truck. The truck struck the passenger side of the Cavalier.

After the impact, both vehicles spun off the road. The truck was flipped over

onto its roof.

Airbags were deployed, but Lindsey and her son were both thrown from their car. Police are investigating whether seatbelts were used, or whether they were defective, damaged or disabled.

Traffic was diverted from Route 45 between Sand Lake Road and a point a mile north of Grand Avenue for the next three hours. Emergency response units came from



Lindsey

Lake Villa and Gurnee. Although alcohol was

found at the scene, police described the containers as "intact," and said alcohol was not suspected as a factor in the accident.

Bode voluntarily submitted to tests. The results were negative for both alcohol and drugs.

Lindsey was employed as a maintenance worker by Red Seal, managers of Mallard

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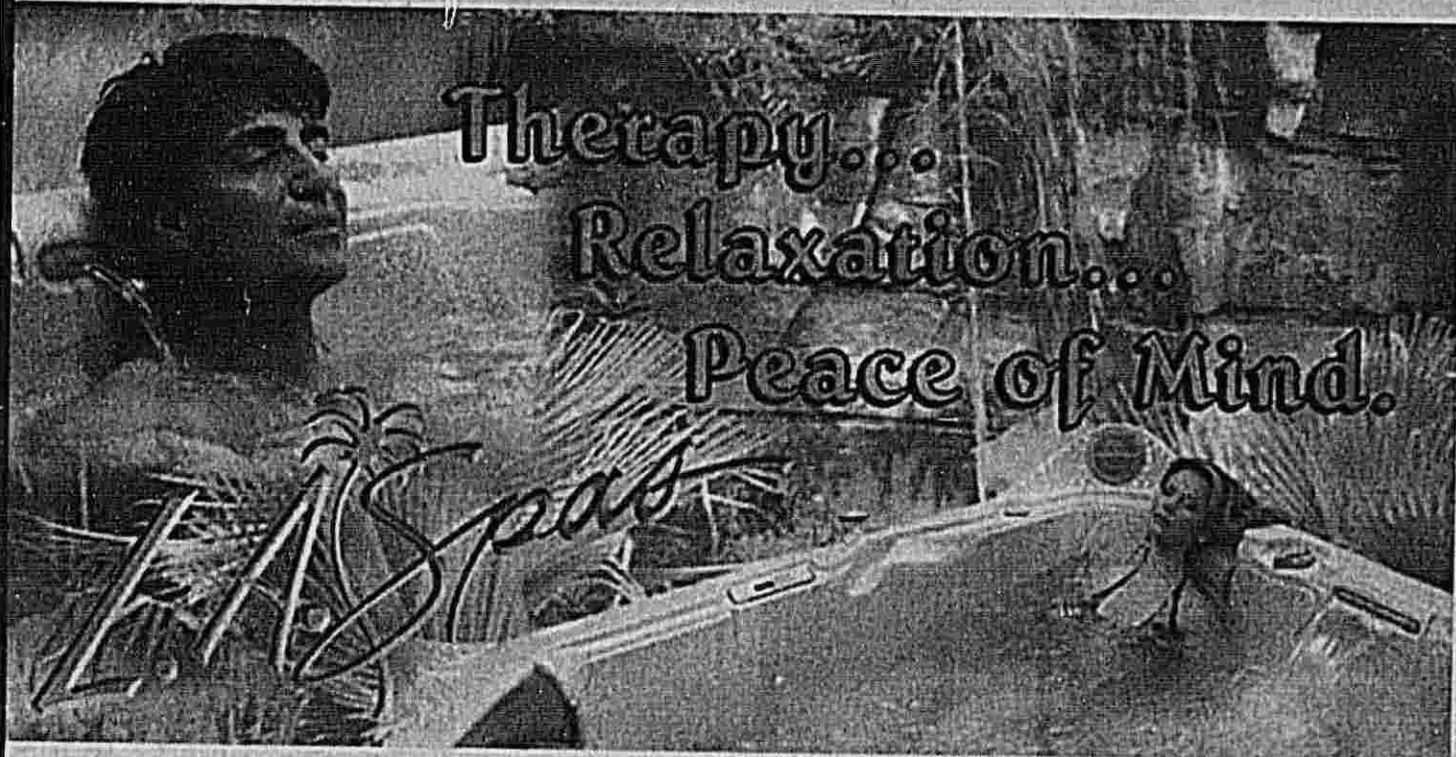
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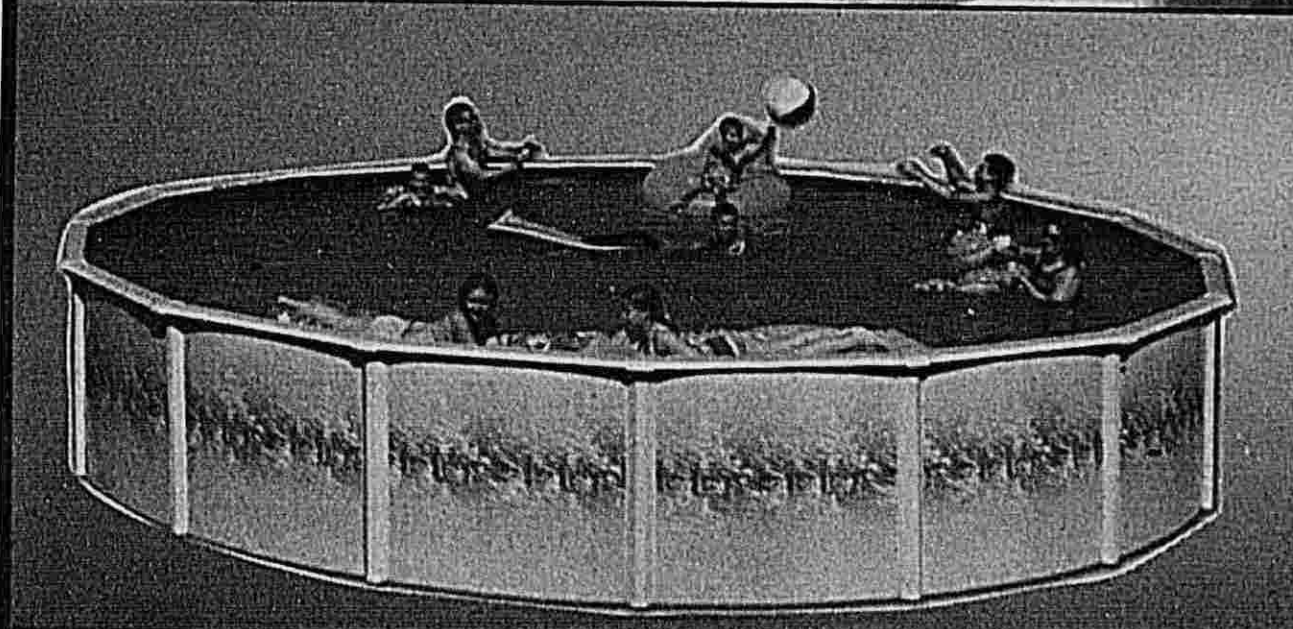
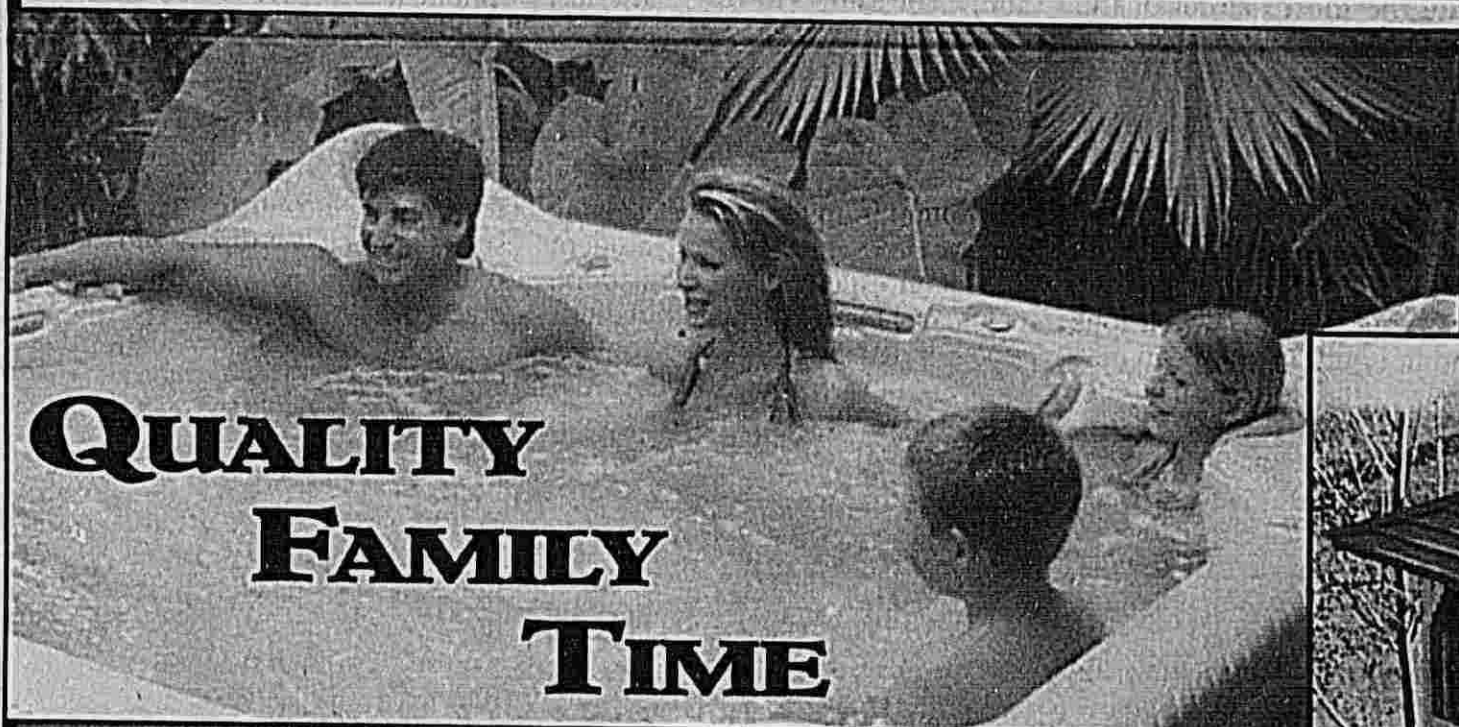
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Budget within 1 percent; restructuring of politics, finances continue

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Despite questions brought forth by Trustee Mary Turner about estimated revenues in the area of expense recovery, village Administrator Alan Probst said he feels the nearly \$17 million budget approved by the board of directors of the Village of Antioch is balanced within 1 percent.

After the meeting, he said that even if he had been too optimistic in projecting revenues, as may be possible in the area of expense recovery, that he was very conservative in other areas and had not included many unbilled fees from the engineering department.

"Because documentation was not built into the system, we didn't have trends for three years and had to annualize. I am very confident of the numbers, however," Probst said.

The budget was approved with four voting in favor, including Mayor Taso Maravelas, with Turner and Trustee Scott Pierce voting against and Trustee Dorothy Larson absent. Maravelas said he couldn't understand the vote. "This is the best budget we've ever had," he said.

Turner said she had questions after the May 24 special meeting that was held to discuss the budget about revenues listed under "expense recoveries" in the amount of \$184,000. At that meeting, no one was able to tell her exactly from where the money came.

At the time Probst had said, "Some of that is money for vehicle stickers and things of that sort. We weren't able to break it down."

At the May 26 meeting to approve the budget, Turner was chastised when she brought the money up again along with information that the bulk of the expense recoveries revenues, \$160,000, came from a one-time payment made by Neumann Homes to cover the legal expenses associated only with zoning details of the Special Service Area

and for snow plowing equipment. Turner said she had made some phone calls after the prior meeting to find the answer.

Trustee Bob Caulfield said, "This is another exercise of politics at the board level. These activities are diminishing the work of the administrator and staff. It's an insult and a cheap shot. You had full knowledge prior, and could have brought these questions up before."

Turner countered, "I have the right as an elected official to address these concerns. I'm going to do in my heart what I think is right." She added that she had complimented both the efforts and the document itself, but still had concerns.

Similar tongue-lashings came later when the board approved a final \$60,000 expenditure to continue with the accounting firm Manning Silverman, to finish reconciling the books for this past fiscal year. Though the measure was approved with four yes votes after Pierce excused himself, both Turner and Trustee Barbara Porch expressed frustration with the amount of money that had been spent and said they hoped all \$60,000 wouldn't have to be spent.

Maravelas said, "People need to know where the money is going; we've got to do it right. We're not asking the board to do anything out of the ordinary."

Turner said she believes every trustee wants financial stability for the village, but have different ideas about how best to accomplish it.

"I don't want to be criticized for voicing my opinion. As long as I am up here, I will do that," she said.

Maravelas asked if Turner would vote in favor of auditing previous years. Turner said she would not vote to spend village money to do that as long as there were roads and sewers in need of repair and homes flooding.

"I think we need to move forward and not tear up the past," she said.

Salon offers more than 'stylin'

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Depending on how one defines extreme, extreme makeovers can be had here in Antioch. Falling just short of offering surgery, Stylin' Zone has, at the very least, broadly expanded on the notion of providing more than a style with a haircut.

While some areas look clinical enough for surgery, it's the state-of-the-art equipment more than the specific service offered. The salon/day spa has a pedicure chair designed in such a way that 100 percent of the water is drained with every use.

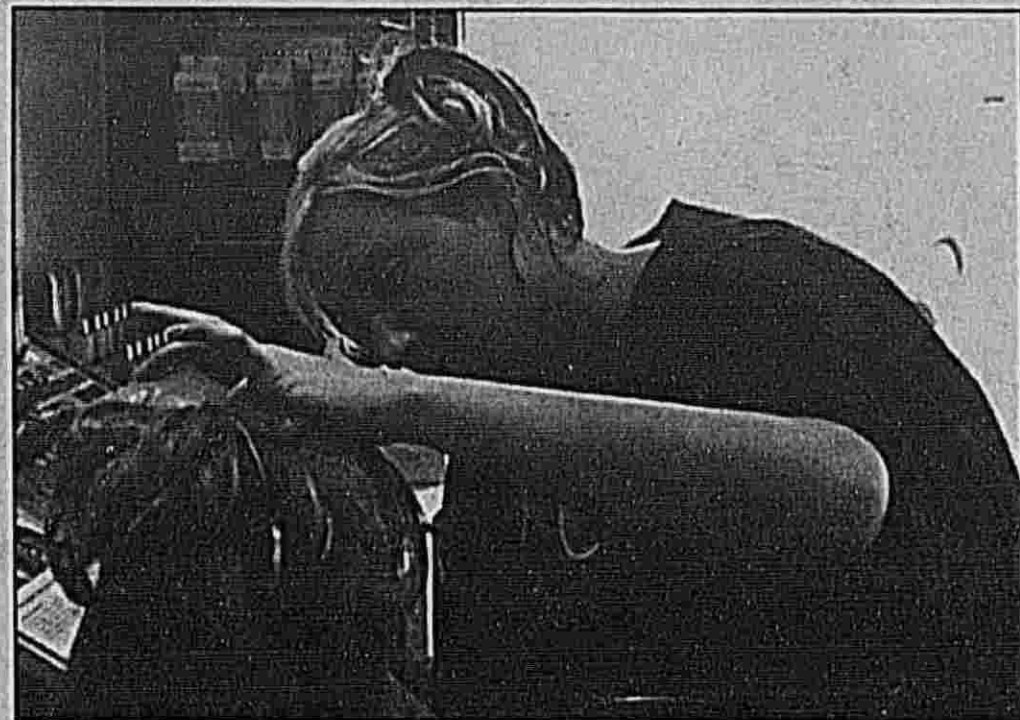
Owner Gloria Rogers, whose educational background includes a clinical chemistry degree, said the risk many pedicure spas pose is within the circulation piping, as water cannot be completely drained in that area and it becomes a breeding ground for bacteria and fungus.

As an added bonus, the back of the chair has a six-roller shiatsu massage system for a more pampered pedicure.

Esthetician (skin specialist) Robin Hinshelwood explained the most clinical looking of the salon's equipment used for facials. In addition to allowing for an aromatherapy steam, a current of high frequency energy kills bacteria under the surface of the skin that can cause acne.

"Facials can pull everything to the surface," she said. "Often after a facial, someone will have a breakout, but this kills the bacteria and prevents that from happening."

Other advancements offered at the salon include fiberglass nails. Nail specialist Heather Gregory said these are the most natural of the



Candice Collins, a stylist for Stylin' Zone, starts putting make-up onto Elana Krause, 16, of Lindenhurst. Collins is one of the stylists in the new Stylin' Zone Family Salon and Day Spa in Antioch.—Photo by John Dickson

fake nail options as tips are essentially added to the end of the nail instead of covering the complete nail.

"These are greater for shorter, sportier styles," she said. "They don't add quite as much length, but they are very natural looking and easy to wear."

For those desiring more length, the spa does offer gels and traditional acrylics.

Kelly Clark, one of the hair stylists attending to the salon's 19 hair stations (including one especially for children complete with a television/VCR), said she's excited that hair extensions will be added to the list of services offered shortly.

"Hair extensions are really great for people who have shorter hair, though it must be at least 3 inches long," she said. "The extensions last

for two to three months, and they can be styled and a lot of options over short hair."

In addition to adding style, Clark said hair extensions add thickness for those with thinning hair who want a fuller look.

"This can really help a lot of people, but sometimes the hair is too thin on the very top and then there's not a lot we can do," she said.

Besides the aforementioned specialty services, Stylin' Zone offers a full complement of hair services, massage, spa packages, waxing (Brazilian included), manicures, pedicures and make makeup as well as selling the products to maintain them.

Stylin' Zone is located on Orchard Street across from the Antioch Police Department. The phone number is 847-395-6345.

House approves emergency funding for Gavin

By JULIE MURPHY
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While most were taking a long weekend to honor veterans, on May 31, the Illinois House of Representatives voted 102-13 to support a Senate amendment to provide funding assistance to Gavin School District 37 for the cost of placing students in classrooms outside the district after the school was condemned this past February.

Rep. JoAnn Osmond took the lead to ensure House Bill 753 that was earlier approved by the Senate 39-18 moves forward to the office of Governor Rod Blagojevich for final consideration. "This is the safeguard needed in case all negotiations fall apart," she said. "This was obviously a bipartisan effort. We have to make sure students in that district can be educated."

House Bill 753 allows a limited

exemption from tax caps to generate revenue for repayment of student relocation expenses as well as bond payments for the school building's repair or replacement.

Osmond said that if the governor signs the bill, and if there is not a settlement for the repair or reconstruction of the school prior to the time it will take to get this measure fully in place, taxpayers will initially see the costs on their real estate tax bills. Then, at the time insurance claims are paid or there is a settlement, taxpayers and the state are repaid first.

Upon approval by Blagojevich, District 37 would be able to issue bonds to cover the repair, reconstruction or replacement of the building without having to go to referendum.

Currently, the district is seeking a judgment against all parties involved in the construction of the condemned building. Gavin Central School was shut down and its 631 stu-

dents transferred to neighboring schools after it was discovered that 52 of the 102 roof support trusses were cracked.

The estimated cost of transferring the students is \$242,000.

Osmond said it has yet to be determined whether the school can be repaired. If it can, repairs to the building's structure could cost between \$1-2 million. Replacing the building is estimated to cost \$11 million.

The school, located at 36414 N. Ridge Ave., Ingleside, cost \$6.5 million to build. It opened in May 1996.

Osmond said, "Securing this emergency funding from the state is critical to ensuring that the students of Gavin Central School are not left out in the cold, and are able to continue their education in alternative classrooms while discussions are held on whether the condemned building can be repaired."

Free tree

Peter Poll, the president of the Northern Illinois Conservation Club gives a sapling Majestic Blue Spruce to Bill Lonergan of Antioch. The Northern Illinois Conservation gave away 200 saplings to visitors.—Photo by John Dickson



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It is with great sadness that I bring news that Antioch Community High School freshman student Rusty Anderson died on May 30 after a year-long fight with cancer.

Despite all of the concern for Rusty and fund-raisers held as testament to that, it wasn't enough.

There will be a wake held at Strang Funeral Parlor on Friday, June 4, 3-8 p.m. Funeral services will be held on June 5 at 10 a.m. at St. Peter Church.

Family friend Stephanie Pedersen sent the following message: "The Anderson family wants to thank everyone for their donations and prayers for Rusty Anderson. Rusty lost his fight with cancer on Sunday, May 30."



OUR TOWN

Julie Murphy

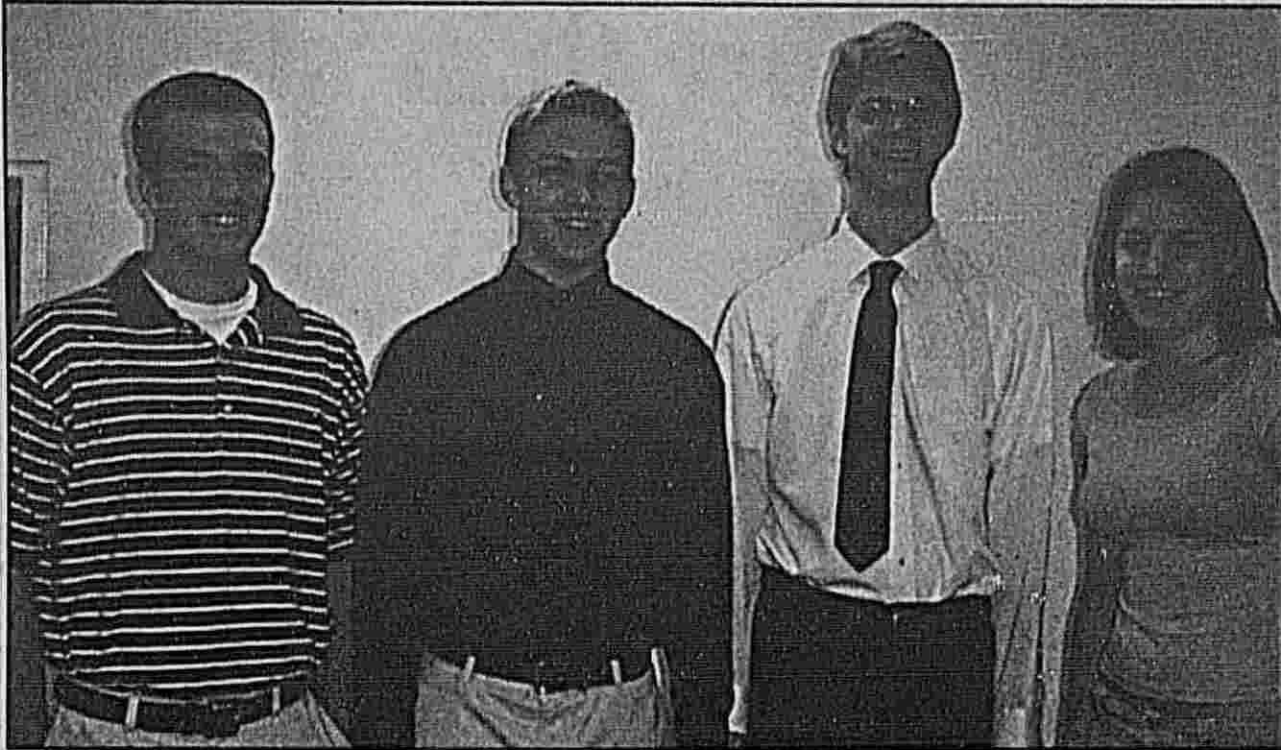
As Antioch residents are always generous, I anticipate that many donations will be made in memory of Rusty. Though many charities use donations wisely, others may spend much of the contribution on administrative expenses or more fund-raising efforts. Some may misrepresent their fund-raising intentions or solicit for phony causes.

Before opening a checkbook, find out more about the charity under consideration with these organizations: BBB Wise Giving Alliance, 4200 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 800, Arlington, VA 22203, 703-276-0100, www.give.org; or American Institute of Philanthropy, 3450 Lake Shore Drive, Suite 2802 E, Chicago, IL 60657, 773-529-2300, www.charitywatch.org.

It never hurts to exercise caution before making a donation of any amount.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Julie Murphy at 847-223-8161, ext. 600 or e-mail, moorfie@ix.netcom.com

Sometimes the fight is lost



Millburn Scholarship winners

On May 26, the Millburn School PTO presented \$1,000 scholarships to four Millburn alumni. They are (L-R) Ryan Eder (PTO Continuing Education Award), John Wierzbicki (Betsy Eckholm Memorial Scholarship), Erik Feucht (Richard Framke Educational Scholarship) and Molly Bonner (Mustang Society Scholarship).

Local bank offers flood relief

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In an effort to help area residents who sustained flood damage as a result of the heavy storms of the past few weeks, First National Bank-Employee Owned is offering short-term loans at low interest rates.

"We will supply flood relief loans to help members of our community cope with losses that they have experienced," said Marvin Oldenburger, senior vice president of lending.

The loans are intended to provide money for repairs that are needed before insurance settlements are available. They will be written at a rate 1 percent below national prime for up to six months, with principal and interest due at the loan's maturity.

Oldenburger said the loans are for anyone who has water damage and needs money for repair. "Our idea is to help people and we're anxious to do that," he said. "We're not trying to string people out."

Loan processing and the receipt of the funds should take one to 10 days after the

application has been received. The deadline to apply for this assistance is Sept. 1.

For those needing longer-term financing, home improvement loans will be available for 1 percent below the rate being charged for non-flood related loans. The rates vary depending on the maturity date of the loan.

The only stipulation is that the bank and the borrower have to reach an understanding about how the loan will be repaid. Oldenburger emphasized that the bank is offering loans and not grants.

"We don't have a difficult approval process," Oldenburger said. "In many cases, we can probably take information over the phone and get a signature at the time of the closing."

Oldenburger said applications could be picked up in person, mailed or sent via fax. He said all loan officers are familiar with the program and the process and will be able to help.

Flood victims can apply for loans at either of FNBO's two locations: 485 Lake St., Antioch, 847-838-2265; or 36044 N. Brookside Drive, Gurnee, 847-662-2265.

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FATAL

Ridge Apartments in Lindenhurst.

Ironically, Donald Serbedzija, husband of Jori Serbedzija, property manager for the apartment complex, heard the accident on a radio scanner. He called his wife, who was heading home to Gurnee from the apartment complex.

"I warned her that traffic would be tied up because of the accident," he said. At that point, he did not know who the accident victims were.

Jori found out the next day, when Lindsey's family members contacted her.

"I couldn't believe it," she said. "I last saw her that Friday. We had lunch together."

The property manager said Lindsey was a favorite of both co-workers and tenants.

"Her son was looking forward to going to college," she said. "He wanted to make something of himself."

Lindenhurst police, with the assistance of Lake County, are continuing the investigation of the crash.

SCHOOL DIGEST

Grass Lake School hosts rummage sale

Grass Lake School is seeking donations for its third annual rummage sale to be held Thursday, June 24 through Sunday, June 27 from 7 a.m.-8 p.m. There will be nine rooms of full of "gems."

Though no mattresses will be accepted, all other usable items will. Sought after items include household goods, tools, clothing, toys, books, appliances, electronics and furniture as well as working boats and cars with titles.

Donations will be accepted through June 8 at the school that is located west of Route 59 on Grass Lake Road.

Tax donation forms are available at the office or drop-off door.

Proceeds will be used for the enrichment of students' education. For more information, call Sharon Goebel at 847-395-1550, ext. 22.

St. Peter student takes silver for science

St. Peter School seventh-grader Alex LaFortune earned a silver award at the Illinois Junior Academy of Science State Fair Competition held at the University of Illinois Champaign/Urbana campus. He received this silver award for his project on heat conduction.

Over 1,000 projects were at this competition.

Faith Evangelical accepts applications

Faith Evangelical Lutheran School is accepting applications for the 2004-05 school year for preschool through eighth grade students.

The school offers a Christian education. Amenities of the program include high academic standards, low student-teacher ratio, before- and after-school programs, an extended learning program and league sports.

For more information, call 847-395-0754 or visit www.faithantioch.org. The church and school are located at 1275 Main St.

Grandparents honored

The students at St. Peter School in

Antioch treated their grandparents to a musical performance of songs from the past created just for them as part of the school's annual Grandparents' Day.

The graduating class of 2004 narrated a musical program as students in each grade sang. The kindergarten students kicked off the program with their "Over the Rainbow" number. The third-graders crooned "Can't Help Falling in Love" for their admiring audience. "When I'm 64" was performed by the fifth grade class. The seventh-graders ended this musical with their performance of "Bridge Over Troubled Water."

Music Coordinator for this Grandparents' Day Program was Thomas Tukesbrey.

District 34 hosts summer school

Antioch Community Consolidated District 34 is hosting its summer school program for students entering first through ninth grade.

Classes will be held June 9 through July 2 at the Antioch Upper Grade School from 8 a.m.-1 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Classes will be offered in three categories: remedial, enrichment and sports camps.

Summer school consists of a total of 90 hours of class time with the costs varying between \$50-75.

District 34 offers summer sports camps

Several summer sports camps are being offered by Antioch Community Consolidated District 34 to students of all ages within the district.

Junior volleyball and junior basketball camps are offered for those in first through fourth grade. Wrestling camp is offered to students in first through eighth grade.

A special pitching clinic is being offered for third- through eighth-graders who want to learn the fundamentals of fast pitch softball.

For students in fifth through eighth grade, additional sports camps include cross-country running, as well as basketball and volleyball.

Sessions run June 9-July 1. Brochures are available at school offices, or call Jason Lind for more information, 847-838-8374.

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VFW announces officers, welcomes visitors

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Though they don't officially take their positions until June 27 when the state commander is installed, the following members of Antioch VFW Sequoia Post 4551 have accepted their elected positions: Bill Oerly, commander; Ed Morzinski, senior vice commander; Ken LaForge, junior vice commander; Dan Lexor, quarter master; Bob Somerville, chaplain; Ron Barron, judge advocate; Steve Gorlinski, sergeant; Chuck Tanner, three-year trustee; Ron Buzzard, two-year trustee and Lester Plutz, one-year trustee.

Oerly said the post is open 9 a.m.-noon on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for those interested in finding out more about what the post has to offer. He encouraged residents to come by and see the barroom museum and noted that some of the items on exhibit rotate.

The post transformed its barroom last year into a showcase for artifacts from every war from World War II forward. No mistake, it serves double duty, but the camouflage-painted walls and dark interior of the barroom make the items in the lighted display cases stand out.

Oerly said part of the goal is to have the post open more days of the week to allow people from the village and township into the facility.

"We want people to know we're here," he said. "We will be changing the exhibits regularly so there will always be something new."

Additionally, the post hosts bingo on Tuesdays with the doors opening at 4:30 p.m. and the games beginning at 6:45 p.m.

The next major event for members of the VFW is Fourth of July parade in which members will be marching and handing out 5,000 American flags.

The phone number is 847-395-5393.

Emmons seeks board of education member

Emmons School District 33 is seeking someone for its board of education to fill a position vacated by Justine Atkison until the election in April 2005.

"It is with great regret that the Emmons School District 33 has received the resignation of Justine Atkison from her position on the board of education," said Superintendent Matt Tabar in a statement. "She has been a very committed and dedicated board member."

Atkison has reportedly served on the board since April 2003, and is leaving for personal reasons. She served on the facilities committee, has been active in the playground improvement project, a volunteer in the school and active with the PTO.

Any citizen interested in this appointment may pick up an application packet at the school office. The completed application should be returned to the school by Friday, June 11.

The board will review the applications and interview prospective candidates. The interviews will take place preceding the regular, monthly meeting on Tuesday, June 15 at 8:30 p.m.

To be eligible, candidates should be citizens of the United States, at least 18 years old, residents of the district for at least one year and registered voters.

Questions should be directed to Tabar at 847-395-1105 or Stan Livermore, board of education president, 847-395-9461.

POLICE BEAT

Persons charged with a crime are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

ANTIOCH

DUI

Kenneth J. Drewior, Jr., 37, of 26625 W. Woodland, was arrested for DUI on May 25 at 11:59 p.m. on Tiffany Road at Highview.

Police turned around to follow his motorcycle after noting his loud exhaust system and seeing him ride with his tires on the fog line. While following Drewior, police saw him weaving and eventually entering the other lane of traffic.

While stopping, Drewior reportedly nearly tipped his motorcycle over and lost his balance when dismounting.

The officer detected the strong odor of alcoholic beverage on his breath and requested field sobriety testing, all of which Drewior failed. A portable breath test came back with a .139 BAC reading.

Drewior was arrested and issued citations for driving in the wrong lane and DUI. He agreed to chemical testing that resulted in .174 BAC.

Drewior was issued additional citations for DUI over .08, improper lane usage, excessive exhaust, failing to signal a turn and operation of an uninsured vehicle. He was released on personal recognizance pending court.

Suspended

Kristi L. Goodlander, 28, of 25231 W. Claridan, was arrested for driving while suspended on May 25 at 3:33 p.m. at 480 North Avenue.

She was locked traveling 43 mph in a 30-mph zone. She provided neither a valid driver's license nor proof of insurance. A check of her identifiers came back with information that her driver's license was suspended.

Goodlander was arrested and issued citations speeding, operating an uninsured vehicle and driving while suspended. She was released on personal recognizance pending her June 23 court date.

Jesse R. Claes, 28, of 25117 W. Mitchell Court, Ingleside, was arrested for driving while suspended on May 26 at 7:12 a.m. on Orchard at Hillside.

An officer who recognized Claes and knew him to have a suspended driver's license saw him driving. When stopped, Claes was able to provide valid insurance, and said he knew his license was suspended.

He was arrested and issued a citation for driving while suspended. He was released on personal recognizance pending his June 23 court date.

Jason A. McKenzie, 22, of 6518 Maple Ave., Spring Grove, was arrested for driving while suspended on May 26 at 10:39 a.m. at the intersection of routes 59 and 173.

He was locked traveling 55 mph in a 45-mph zone. A check of his identifiers through LEADS came back with information that his license was suspended.

McKenzie was arrested and issued citations for speeding, driving while suspended and operating an uninsured vehicle. He was released on personal recognizance pending his June 23 court date.

Advertising Correction

In the Save a Fortune Sale ad received in today's newspaper, the \$5.99 sale price for Entire Stock of beach towels is incorrect.

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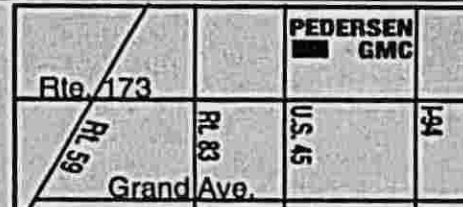
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Herb Willems was looking through the magazines at the Walmart in Gurnee only to find out his wife and family were not in the current issue of Time Magazine yet. The photos were taken by Pulitzer Prize winner, Steve Liss. Cristina Stalet at Time said, "The photo shoot will be appearing in Time in the next few weeks."

Alicia Meyers, manager of Ruby Tuesday's added, "The subject matter was done in conjunction with our restaurant around the current low carb diet craze."

This and that around Antioch

Local movie making news

Jay Johnson, is currently in the process of making a low budget horror film. "Mother Nature" fights back against the people that do not respect her right to look like a beauty queen.

How to remember the troops in Iraq

The State Bank of the Lakes (Antioch, Lindenhurst) in addition to having their 10th annual Freedom Run is conducting Operation Care Package. Rosemary T. Kilimnik said, "Operation Care Package is a program inspired by the work of Dr. Debra Renter, an Antioch chiropractor who has orchestrated numerous donation efforts benefiting the military."

The bank is coordinating this drive in conjunction with Dr. Renter, providing personal items for care packages to be sent to service men and women serving overseas. Service people may receive packages as often as twice a month."



NEWS-WORTHY

Christina Anderson

Take your profits from selling your children's wear at Tammie Holland's resale shop.

Check out the Lindenhurst Farmer's Market, which will be every Thursday at the Old Eagle parking lot on Grand & Lindenhurst Drive starting June 10th and running through October 14th."

Contact Christina Anderson at writer@mrsillinois96.com, P.O. Box 711, Antioch, IL 60002 or 847-838-4741.

Chamber raffle pays \$10,000 to one winner

One person of the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry will be \$10,000 come July 24 when the winning ticket is pulled during the Taste of Summer.

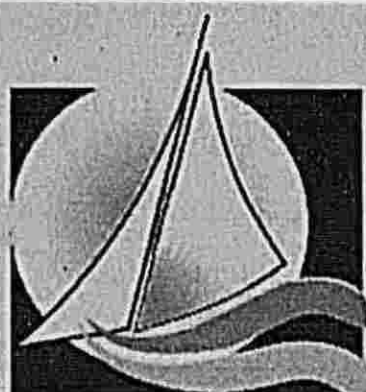
In addition to the one grand prize, five winners will double their money and walk away with \$200. Tickets are \$100 each and will be sold through the Taste of Summer, though the number of tickets is limited and may all be sold prior.

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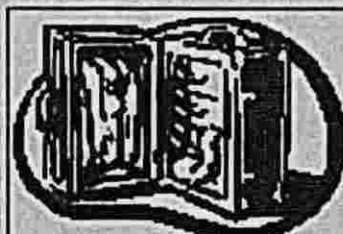
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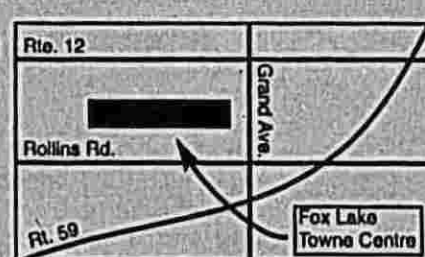
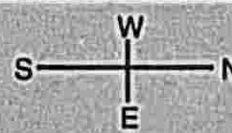
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LOCAL DIGEST

'Horse country plan' invites public comment

A public review meeting of the "horse country plan" officially known as the Northwest Illinois Route 173 Corridor Joint Local Land Resources Management Plan (JLLRM) has been set for Tuesday, June 8 from 6-8 p.m. at the Newport School, located at 15872 W. 21st Street (off of Route 173) in Wadsworth. The first hour is an open house that will allow those unfamiliar with the plan an opportunity to review it; public comment will be accepted during the second hour.

The Route 173 Corridor Council, comprised of the mayors and presidents of Antioch, Old Mill Creek, Wadsworth and Zion as well as Lake County board members Judy Martini (R-Antioch) and Randall Whitmore (R-Wadsworth), is the plan's sponsor. The area of discussion includes 3,300 acres located between I-94 and Route 45, with southern border of one-quarter mile north of Route 173 and the state line as the northern border.

The full 24-page plan can be viewed online www.co.lake.il.us/planning/173plan.asp, complete with maps, charts and graphs. The report addresses land use and density, households and employment, transportation, services and infrastructure, existing plans and zoning, environmental resources, historical resources and future land use.

Rotary raffle tickets available

Eight lucky people will win cash prizes with the Antioch Rotary Club's 50-50 summer raffle.

First prize is \$5,000 to a single winner. Tickets are \$20, and only 1,000 will be sold. The drawing will be held on July 25 at the Antioch Chamber of Commerce and Industry's Taste of Summer.

Tickets are available at the First National Bank-Employee Owned, State Bank of The Lakes and The Advertiser. Questions should be directed to Bob Schneider at 847-395-4444.

Proceeds support the Rotary's philanthropic efforts.

Monday worship services offered

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Antioch will conduct evening worship services on Mondays at 7 p.m., beginning May 31.

These services are being offered as an alternative to the existing 9 a.m. Sunday schedule, and intended to give families vacationing on weekends or those working on Sundays, an opportunity to fulfill spiritual needs on another day. Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church currently conducts worship services at the Antioch-Lake Villa Township Center, located at 1625 Deep Lake Road, about a one-third mile north of Grass Lake Road.

For more information, call 847-265-2450.

4-month detour on Grass Lake Road

Grass Lake Road will be closed for about four months beginning on May 17 between routes 59 and 83, though Lake County will maintain local access for those either live on or just off that stretch of road.

Traffic will be rerouted from the east, Route 83, and the west, Route 59, north to Route 173. Through traffic will be expected to use this detour route.

While local access will be maintained, residents might have to enter their destinations from the opposite direction from which they are accustomed.

Construction will be completed in three stages.

Grass Lake Road will be closed to all local traffic at a point east of Prairie Road in the first stage. This means that residents who live on Prairie Road will have to access it from the west side.

In stage two, Grass Lake Road will be closed at a point west of Fox Run Lane, meaning that residents who live on that road will have to access it from the east.

Those same residents will have to access Fox Run Lane from the west side during the final stage of construction as Grass Lake Road will be closed to all local traffic from a point east of there.

Completion of the construction is expected by Oct. 31.

NEIGHBORS

Name: Valerie Nelson

Home: Lindenhurst

Occupation: Independent Sales Director with Mary Kay Cosmetics

Community involvement: Volunteer to CBFS for child abuse prevention, Member of the

Lindenhurst-Lake Villa Chamber of Commerce and Women in Business Group, make up artist for Cathy's Creative Kids Club

I'm originally from: Chicago

I graduated from: Foreman High School

My family consists of: Husband, Gregg, daughters Sarah (12) and Jennifer (8)

My pets are: Brindle boxer Max, two Abyssinian cats, Sam and Belle, and a box turtle named Dottie

What I like best about Lindenhurst: The sense of community



What I like best about my job:

Everything, including the flexibility and the capacity to make others feel good about themselves, inside and out.

The secret to my success is: Knowing that I'll never graduate; there is always room for improvement. Not taking myself too seriously.

I relax by: Yoga

My idea of a perfect way to spend a day in the Lake Villa-Lindenhurst area would be: Hanging out on my street with neighbors and having all the kids at my house.

Last book I read: "The Purpose-Driven Life"

Favorite TV show: "Joan of Arcadia"

Favorite bands and musicians: Genesis, Kiss, Bon Jovi, Alice Cooper, Pink Floyd (am I dating myself?)

Favorite restaurant: They're all good. Food tastes better when I don't have to cook it.

If you have a "Neighbor" that you would like to see profiled in this column, call Lakeland Newspapers at 847-223-8161.

Calendar

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Call 847-223-8161 or e-mail calendar@lakelandmedia.com

A 14-day notice is requested for all items.

Friday, June 4

Fri 7 a.m.-7 p.m., Sat. 7 a.m.-3 p.m., 4th Annual Resale Event hosted by the Sheila Daniels Christian Academy, 2313 Washington St. in Waukegan. Furniture, appliances, baby clothes and much more. Fundraiser to help provide scholarships and buy equipment and materials for the school. Call Valerie at 847-263-8147

7:30 a.m., Lake County Chamber of Commerce networkers group meets at the Hampton Inn in Gurnee. For info., call 847-249-3800

Fri. to Sun., 20th Annual Gospel Music Festival held in Grant Park in downtown Chicago. Three stages of the best gospel music performers in the country, activities for the whole family, an art fair, food vendors and more. Hours are 4-9:30 p.m. Fri.; Sat. & Sun., 12-9:30 p.m. For a complete schedule or info., visit www.cityofchicago.org/speialevents or call 312-744-3370

7:30 p.m., Lake County Camera Club meets at Gurnee Senior Citizen Center, SW corner of Washington St. and Almond Rd. in Gurnee, call 847-856-1583

Fri. & Sat. at 8 p.m., Sun. at 2:30 p.m., "Smoke and Mirrors," a mystery/comedy, performed at PM&L Theatre, 877 Main St. in Antioch. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and seniors. Call 847-395-3055

Saturday, June 5

12-4:30 p.m. Sat., 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Sun., North Shore Iris and Daylily Society Iris Show and Sale held at the Chicago Botanic Garden, 1000 Lake Cook Rd. in Glencoe. Enjoy approx. 175 iris cultivars, artistic arrangements, and plants for purchase. Free admission, \$10 parking fee. For info. on events, call 847-835-5440 or visit www.chicagobotanic.org

2-5 p.m., Dandelion Wine Art Fest held in Bowen Park, 39 Jack Benny Dr., in Waukegan. Arts & Crafts on display with over 500 visitors expected. Storytelling, music, dance, poetry, art and a community drum circle. The 14th Annual Fishing Derby will also be held from 8-10:30 a.m. in Beaver Park and the swimming pool opens for the season for a special of \$2 per person all day

Sunday, June 6

8 a.m.-4 p.m., 22nd Annual Skip's Drive-In Reunion Car Show and Swap meet held at the Lake County Fairgrounds in Grayslake. 300+ cars expected. \$7 admission

12-3 p.m., Great American Bake Sale held at St. Mark Lutheran Church, 1822 E. Grand Ave., Lindenhurst. 75% of sale proceeds stay within the community and state. 25% goes across the U.S. to high need areas. Further information can be found on www.shareourstrength.org

Monday, June 7

12:45 p.m., Bingo held at The Antioch Senior Center, call 847-395-7120 for details

5:30 p.m., TOPS group meets in Lindenhurst at the Victory Ambulatory Surgery Center and Outpatient Services at 1050 Red Oak Lane on the first floor. Call Tina at 847-265-9364

7-9 p.m., Lakes Area Community Band rehearsal at ACHS, call Debbie Davis at 847-395-0272

Tuesday, June 8

1 p.m., AARP (for adults 55 and older) meets at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr., for more info., call Sharon Nowak at 847-395-5068

6:45 p.m., Antioch VFW Bingo, doors open 4:30 p.m., call 8447-395-5393

7-8 p.m. Weigh to Win program held at Calvary Christian Center, Monaville Rd., west of Rte. 83 in Lake Villa. Call 847-356-6181 for info.

7:30 p.m., Mothers & More group meets at the State Bank of the Lakes in Grayslake. Call 847-245-3732 or visit www.mothersandmore.org

Wednesday, June 9

9 a.m., H.O.M.E. (Home Office Managers & Entrepreneurs) group meets at First Midwest Bank, 300 N. Hunt Club Rd. (1st floor conference room) in Gurnee. Call 847-367-7118

8 a.m., American Business Woman's Assoc. meets at Keller Williams Realty Office on Rte. 83, in Antioch. Call Nancy at 847-838-6500

6:30 p.m., TOPS Weight Loss weigh-in, 7 p.m. meeting at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck, info. at 847-395-6443 or 847-395-8143

7-8:30 p.m., A Safe Place/Lake County Crisis offers free support groups in Lake County for women who are victims of abuse. Meetings in Round Lake, call 847-249-4450

10 a.m., Lake County Women's Club meets at State Bank of the Lakes, 50 Commerce Dr. in Grayslake. Make new friends and enjoy a variety of activities. For details, call 847-548-4250

1 p.m., Antioch Woman's Club regular meeting at United Methodist Church of Antioch, info. at 847-395-4210

Thursday, June 10

7:15 a.m., Business Network International (BNI) meets at the Hillside Restaurant in Grayslake. Call Craig Henderson at 847-840-6464

Thurs. to Sun., 21st Annual Chicago Blues Festival held in Grant Park in downtown Chicago. Hours are 11 a.m.-9:30 p.m. daily, with music beginning at noon. Six stages with more than 70 performers, preceded by a month of Blues activities throughout Chicago. This year's theme, "It's about Time," celebrates Blues greats returning again to this year's festival. Visit www.cityofchicago.org/speialevents or call 312-744-33715

Friday, June 11

7:30-8:30 a.m., The Business Networking Group meets at Centre Lights Cafe next to Condell in Libertyville, call Dan at 847-803-9904

Saturday, June 12

Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sun. 8 a.m.-3 p.m., Antiques, Collectables & Flea Market held at the Lake County Fairgrounds, Rte. 120 & Hwy. 45 in Grayslake. Come hunt through the goods for sale. Admission is \$4. Call 715-526-9769

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Antioch falls to Lake Forest in regional final

By STEVE PETERSON
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John Snelton, Doug Dittmer and Tom Callahan have been mainstays for the Antioch High baseball team for years.

The three are moving onto other aspects of their lives after ACHS graduation. Snelton is looking forward to pitching at Valparaiso University, while Callahan will play baseball at Elmhurst College and Dittmer will attend Illinois State University.

The threesome saw their prep baseball career come to a close in a 3-0 loss to Lake Forest. The Scouts, the NSC champions, moved onto the Stevenson sectional by winning the Wauconda regional.

"We only had three seniors, but I would go to war with these guys," said ACHS coach Paul Petty.

"It will be pretty weird not having a game or practice to go to tomorrow," Dittmer said. "I will miss playing baseball with my teammates a lot."

Snelton was named first-team All-NSC and was team MVP. Snelton said he has been playing baseball for 10 years now. He finished with a 10-win season on the mound. "The MVP means a lot. It means all the work was worthwhile," Snelton said.

Snelton had turned a hitter's paradise into a pitcher's day in a few innings against Grant. He fanned four in a complete game effort in a 9-8 Antioch win.

After waiting day of rain and having some nervous skyward-looking moments Tuesday, everything was set to go for the regional final. Lake Forest's Rodney Workman looked every bit the ace as he was too tough for Antioch. He surrendered only two hits, had seven strikeouts and a third runner reached on an error. Justin Brown broke up Workman's no-hit



Antioch's Chad Ori dives safely back to first base on a pick-off attempt in a game against Warren earlier this season. The Sequoits lost to Lake Forest in the Wauconda regional final on Tuesday.—File Photo by Steve Young

bid with a single in the fourth. Chandler Kent singled in the sixth. Calhoun reached on an error in the sixth, but the next batter weakly grounded out.

"We had not seen Workman all year. We saw him last year and over the summer. He is a solid pitcher. He fills up the zone pretty much. The curveball was nice. We had one small opportunity and

one larger one," Petty said.

Lake Forest did not hit Antioch starter Dittmer that hard with a 6-hit attack, but its timing was perfect. The Scouts broke through in the third on a double by Francis Grilli. Two singles in the fourth inning both came home to score for the 3-0 cushion.

Antioch finished the year a credible 20-16. "The record pretty much depicted the kind of

season we had," Petty said.

The Antioch bats were certainly working against Grant. The Sequoits spotted the Bulldogs a 2-0 deficit but roared back with a 6-run first inning. Kent was 2-for-4 with a double, Callahan went 2-for-3, catcher Nate Hughes was 2-for-3 and Dittmer had a grand slam. Dittmer also reached base on a key late Grant error, allowing the winning run to score.

One pitch costs Corcoran, Rams against Mustangs

By ROB BACKUS
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Grayslake junior hurler Lea Corcoran was one pitch away from being the hero yet again.

In the Rams' previous game on Saturday against Grant, Corcoran came up in the eighth inning of a scoreless game with the bases loaded and smacked a pitch over the wall and into the tennis courts to give Grayslake the win.

And she had a chance to be the hero yet again on Tuesday in the regional title game against Mundelein.

Corcoran had struck out eight batters in the first five innings, limiting the usually strong Mustang lineup to just one hit, a liner off third baseman Kris Ottens' glove by Christine Scott in the third inning.

"Lea had an awesome game," Grayslake coach Stacy Selle said.

In the sixth inning, however, one pitch came back to haunt her and the Rams.

Emily Tkaczyk led off the inning with an infield single and Scott (2-for-3) followed with a single to right field, and advanced to second on the throw into third, giving the Mustangs two runners in scoring position with no one out. It marked the first time all game that Mundelein had the leadoff runner on base.

That brought up catcher Ana Antonetti, who was looking to atone for an earlier strikeout in the third inning, which ended Mundelein's only previous threat.

"You don't see Ana striking out looking too often, so I told her she would get another chance," Mundelein coach Toni Campbell said.

And Antonetti took advantage of that chance, hitting a 215-foot blast to left center to give her team a 3-1 lead.

"After I hit it, I was hoping for either a long sac fly or that it would be gone," Antonetti said.

For Corcoran, the homer was frustrating as she missed her spot on the pitch.

"I really missed my location," Corcoran said. "I threw it right down the middle of the plate. It was a nice shot."

According to Campbell, there was no key to the inning as her team kept the same approach all game.

"Lea is a very good pitcher," Campbell said. "She kept us off for a while, but we just kept going at her. We wanted to take the game out of her hands by putting the ball in play."

Although her team was struggling to make contact against Corcoran, Campbell knew her team would come back.

"I was worried a few times, but I believe in my team," Campbell said. "I told the girls they would do it before the sixth inning started."

Mundelein pitcher Lauren Ott made the lead stand up, striking out a pair of batters in the 7th inning to preserve the win.

Ott, just a freshman, came into the game in a pressure packed situation, taking over for Tkaczyk, who had walked the bases loaded in the first inning.

Although she struggled with her control early, walking Ottens on a 3-2 count to score Hannah Michal, Ott quickly recovered, fanning Maritza Campos to end the inning.

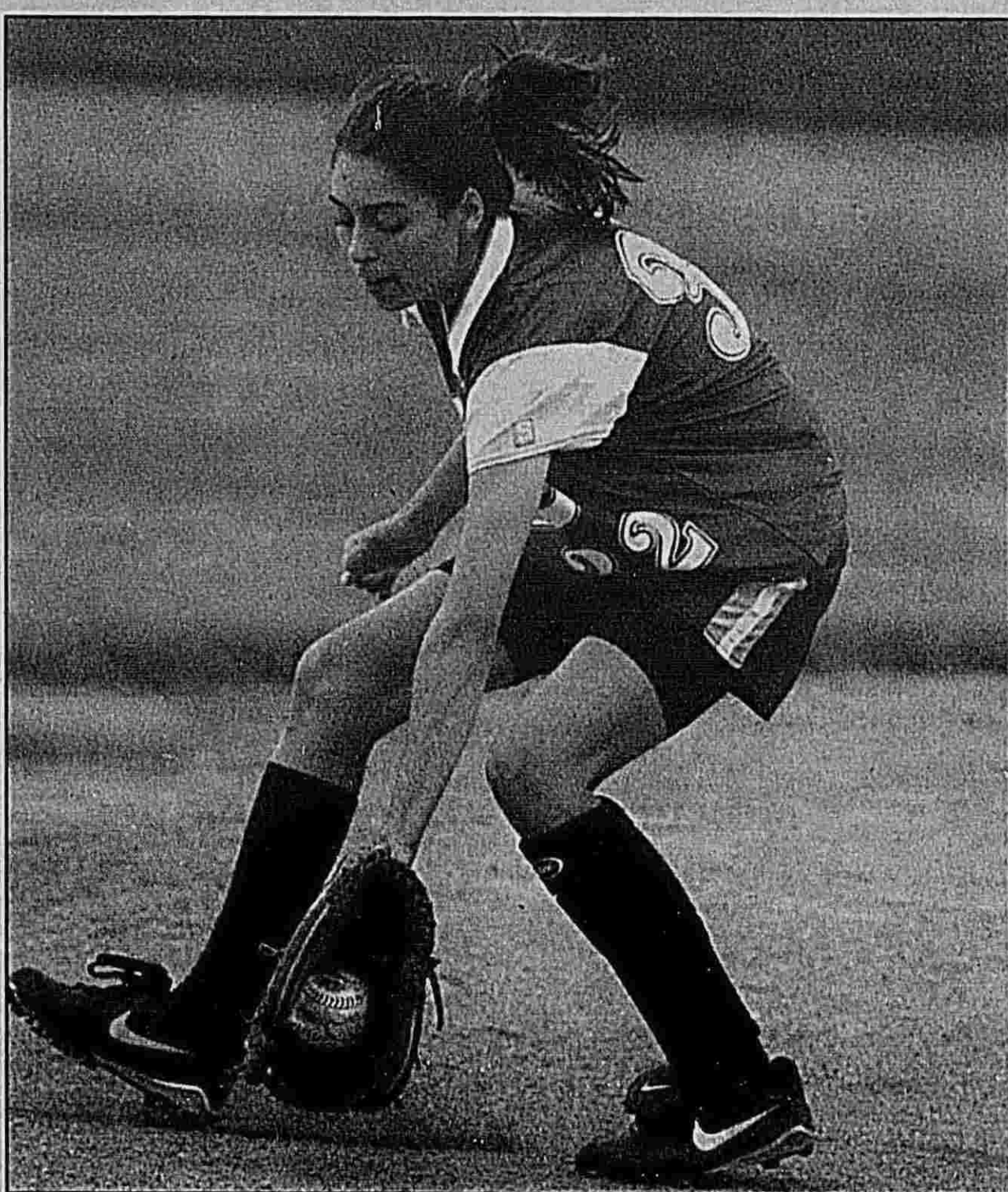
"It was a tough position to come in like that," Campbell said. "But she kept her composure."

Ott ended up throwing a three-hitter, while striking out seven batters.

Despite the loss, Selle was pleased with her team's effort.

"It was our best game of the season," said Selle, whose team fell to 16-20 with the loss. "We were up mentally the whole game and we hit the ball, we just couldn't string any hits together."

Mundelein improved to 24-7 with the win, setting up a rematch with Stevenson on Wednesday in the sectional semifinals. The two teams played a pair of 1-0 games during the regular season, with each team taking a win.



Anna Snyder of Grayslake High School picks up a ground ball during a 3-1 regional championship game loss to Mundelein.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

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Children who are not yet reading may be read to, while those who are reading are asked to set an individual goal of how many books they will read over the six weeks.

Free performances will be held throughout the program and will include a comedian, musician, storyteller, puppet show and a special appearance by Popeye and his dog Sweet Pea. Tickets for each day's performance will be available only on the day of the show on a first-come, first-served basis.

This is a free program offered by the library. It is not necessary to be an Antioch resident to participate.

For more information, call the library at 847-395-0874.

Christian Life Fellowship offers kids' rally

For four evenings, Christian Life Fellowship will be hosting a kids' rally for children 5 years old up to sixth grade.

The rally runs June 6-9 from 7-8:30 p.m. There will be stories, magic tricks, songs, prizes and surprises.

Philip Hahn, children's pastor from the Stone Church in Palos Heights will be guest pastor and will have a theme of "Encountering God."

The rally is free, but registration is required, 847-395-8572.

Emmons announces STARS students

Teachers at Emmons School selected "STARS" students for their work on personal ethics in the third quarter.

The following students were selected for this award: Samantha Brands, Jake Cloe, Cassie Deaner, Julia Emer, Weston Fox, Julia Frys, Sam Jackson, Jason Kupsik, Stephanie Masse, Luke Moeller, Caitlyn Redd, Adam Regalado, Rhonda Schaefer, Trudy Schaefer, Lucas Semitka, Lauren Slack, Braden Ward, Mickey West, Karl Wiemerslage, Amanda England, Brandon Faber, Matthew Farrell, Vivian Fekete, Emily Fischer, Allie Glenader, Gagen Griffin, Tommy Hamilton, Ashley Hare, Annie Horner, Johnny Horton, Aaron Plotsky, Brianna Schroeder, Ashley Wright, Jason Mrkonich, Ben Poss, Jake Regan, Claire Pishko, Brett Mohr, Kaylee Karpel, Kristen Kelly, Alex McCameron, Bailey Moser, Natalie Perry, Nick Principe, Tim Regan, Nathan Roden, Joe Simpson, Kyle Thode, Kirstin Turner, Ethan Yock, Paige Gallimore, Anthony Cloe, Madeline Johnson, Liz Zagorski, Reagan Jordan, Heather Latakas, Dylan Egeland, Jessica Stonis, Alex Fracek, Natalie Karpel, Brandon Karpel, Nick Geidner, Sage Keyes, Quinn Atkison, Brianna Baldassarre, Devon Brown, Michael Huston, Kevin Kurzeja, Jason Mihovilovich, Tom Richter, Jason Schaeen, Hunter Kanya, Tyler Quarrato, Autumn Pfingsten, Matt Pappas, Meranda Masse, Alex Cimaglio, Max Jackson, Ryan Lannert, Alex Ladin, Ericka Latakas, Brittany Kelly, Paityn Langley, Teddy Montemayor, Trevor Olsen, William Washow, Sammie Abear, Kevin Boudreau, Steven Farrell, Abby Livermore, Matthew Poss, Nick Soria, Connor Atkison, Sadie Barner, Amber Dalgaard, Erika Garcia, Ryan Hartman, Cortney McCarthy, Rachel Mohr, Aaron Roden, Jenna Schaeen, Stephanie Stella, Jaime Trischan, Brett Kanya, Cassie Breneisen, Mike Chivers, Erik Egeland, Samantha Frank, John Garcia, Alex Grimm, Mollie Jeschke, Nicole Kelly Rachel Kurzeja, Taber Langely, Matt Principe, Jessica Richter, Coty Sage, Ryan Stava, Lauren Tiffany and Cassie Wolf.

Selected students were treated to ice cream at lunchtime with Principal Cyndy Vandrush.



All under one roof

Rebecca Pierce of Antioch hugs her mom, Lorianne Pierce-Bell before Rebecca's wedding to James Ayers at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. Rebecca decided to move the ceremony to the hospital's chapel when her mother was hospitalized.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

Car show spreads to 2 dealers

By JULIE MURPHY
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The nostalgia car show hosted by Dodge of Antioch for the past five years, has expanded and is now being co-hosted by Lyons-Ryan Ford on Sunday, June 6 from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. on Route 173 east of Route 83.

Over 100 muscle cars from the 1950s, '60s and '70s will be out and on display.

Organizer Chuck Lehmann, of Dodge of Antioch, started out just having a couple of enthusiasts gather and show off their cars. What started as a casual event has grown into an all-out auto show.

Everyone is welcome to attend the show free of charge. This includes those who own classic cars and would like to display them.

"Last year we were running out of parking," Lehmann said. "People were parking down the street and across the street, anywhere they could find."

With that, the show has expanded to include the second dealership.

"This has always been open to all cars and not limited to just Dodge," Lehmann said. "This is all about people who love cars, so

there's no reason not to just let this thing grow."

To add to the enjoyment of the day, there will be a disc jockey and complimentary hot dogs and soda pop.

There will be a raffle every half hour beginning at 10:30 a.m., with the grand prize being a DVD player.

A "people's choice" trophy will be given out as well as an award for the person traveling the farthest to showcase a classic car.

Lehmann said there are typically a couple of celebrity cars on display, but part of the fun is coming in person to see what cars are there.

Last year was the first time a collection was taken to support a cause with over \$500 being raised for MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving). This year, any money raised will be donated to the Make A Wish Foundation that makes wishes come true for terminally ill children.

"This is a fun, family activity that is all about giving back to the community," Lehmann said. "We'll start up some of the cars and make a little racket. Just remember to bring sunglasses if the sun is high, because there will be a lot of chrome out there."

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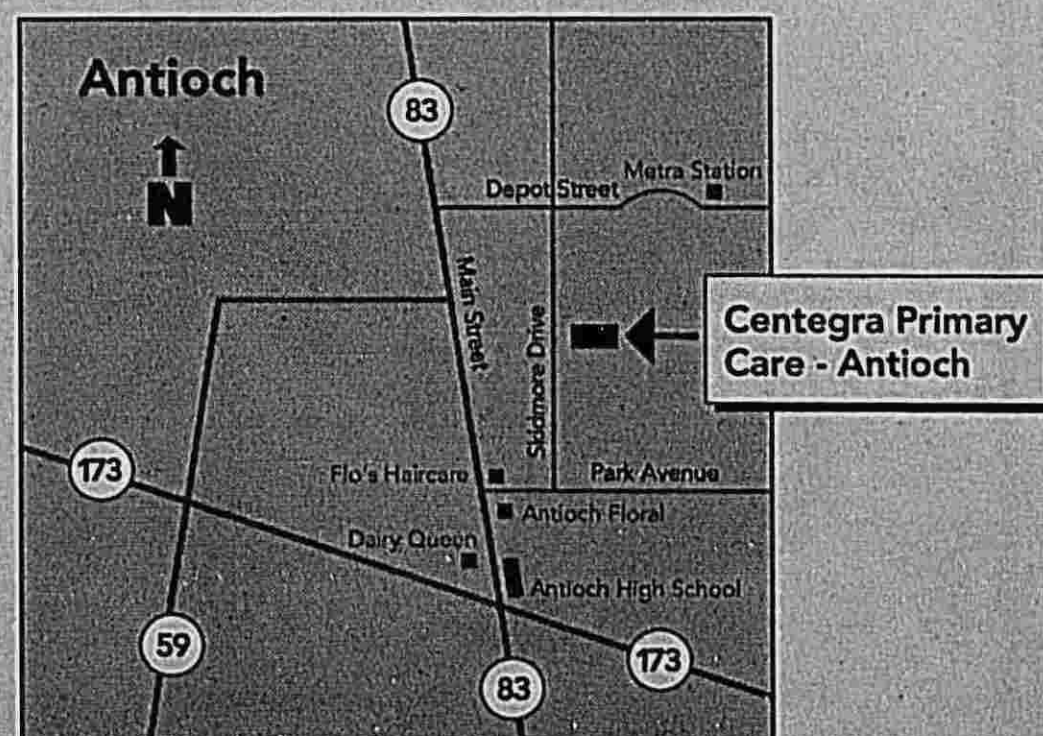
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Alleged gang leaders nabbed

Round Lake—A two-year investigation has led to the arrests of two alleged upper echelon gang leaders by police. Arrested and charged with criminal drug conspiracy were Martin Valadez, 28, of Ingleside and Ricardo Galvan, 30, of Round Lake Beach.

Man charged with attempted murder

Round Lake Beach—A Chicago resident has been charged with aggravated battery and attempted murder of a Rosemont resident as the result of a stabbing in Round Lake Beach on May 30. Jaime Rodriguez, 38, has been accused of the crime after allegedly stabbing Donald Boncimino once in the face and once in the head inside a home. Boncimino was visiting his girlfriend in Round Lake Beach and objected to Rodriguez wanting to dance with her.

House approves Gavin funding

Springfield—The Illinois House of Representatives voted 102-13 to support a Senate amendment to provide funding assistance to Gavin School District 37 for the cost of placing students in classrooms outside the district after the school was condemned. House Bill 753 allows a limited exemption from tax caps to generate revenue for repayment of student relocation expenses as well as bond payments for the school building's repair or replacement.

Village may attempt to buy flooded homes

Gurnee—With the memories of last week's floods still fresh, Mayor Don Rudny said he'd like to see the village begin pursuing more homes in the village's floodplain. For years now, Rudny said the village has wanted to buy homes that sit in the floodplain, but have only managed to purchase about 10. Last week almost 40 homes incurred some sort of damage due to flooding.

Sheriff looks to break cycle of ATV thefts

Lake County Crime Stoppers and the Lake County Sheriff's Office/CID are seeking information regarding ATV thefts.

The Lake County Sheriff's Office/CID has experienced a large number of ATV thefts since the last week of December 2003. The majority of the thefts have taken place in the Antioch and Lake Villa area. The majority of the thefts have occurred during the overnight hours. The offenders have been known to take multiple machines from the same locations and leave others behind.

If you have any information about these crimes or any other felony crime or felony fugitive, contact Crime Stoppers at 847-662-2222. If your information leads to an arrest you could be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

PICTURE OF THE WEEK



Marching onward

Kelly Pish plays the flute with the Antioch Upper Grade School Marching Band down Cedar Boulevard in downtown Lake Villa during the village's annual Memorial Day Parade.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

NLU studies Barat

University considers county for a new campus site

By MARC JENKINS
Managing Editor

National-Louis University has not ruled out Lake County as a possible site to relocate its Evanston/Wilmette campus in 2006.

NLU, a 4-year school that specializes in teaching and education, is pondering a move to Barat College in Lake Forest. Barat will close its doors next year in a downsizing move of its parent school, DePaul University. NLU's board has already put the 6.5-acre campus up for sale, one it has occupied for 75 years.

"We're moving because we want to serve the North Shore area," said NLU spokesman Chris Anderson. "We thought of Barat, but it may be too far away. But I hesitate to totally rule it out."

Anderson said the chances of a move to Lake County were 10 percent, but said the school is considering opening a county campus.

NLU will likely build a campus in Evanston, on a yet-to-be-built site. The school has a total enrollment of about 15,000

students at 13 campuses, including schools in Chicago and suburban Elgin, Evanston, Wheaton and Wheeling.

Anderson wouldn't say whether the school would join forces with the University Center of Lake County, a partnership of Illinois public and private colleges and universities offering coursework and degrees here, by 2005, but did say, "We want to do something in Lake County in the next few years," Anderson said. "The University Center has been discussed."

Participating University Center schools when the school opens its Grayslake site next year will include Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Concordia University, DePaul University, Dominican University, Governors State University, Illinois State University, Kendall College, North Park University, Northeastern Illinois University, Northern Illinois University, Roosevelt University, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, Saint Xavier University, University of Illinois at Chicago, University of Illinois at Springfield, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

More volunteers needed for Gurnee flood cleanup

There will be a need for more volunteer help on June 5 to assist with sand bag removal in Gurnee. Anyone wishing to volunteer is asked to report to Viking Park, 4374 Old Grand Ave., Gurnee, from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. All help will be appreciated, even if just for a short time.

Volunteers should be at least 16 years old and report to the Salvation Army booth in Viking Park. Volunteers need to bring rubber boots, work gloves, rain coats if it's raining, and a change of clothes for afterwards.

The Lake County Health Department will be in Viking Park from 10 a.m.-noon to give tetanus shots. A tetanus shot is recommended for anyone who hasn't had one in the past 10 years. Food and beverages will

be provided.

Questions can be answered by Gurnee's Emergency Operations Center staff at 847-244-2940. Volunteers can also call the volunteer hotline at 847-599-7010 and leave a message which will be returned.

Another way to provide help to those needing assistance is to personally purchase gift certificates at various local companies such as Sears, Roebuck and Company, J.C. Penney, Sam's Club, Kmart, Walgreens, Jewel-Osco, Wal-Mart, Kohl's, Target, etc. and bring or mail those certificates to United Way of Lake County, 330 South Greenleaf Street in Gurnee. United Way of Lake County will deliver those gift certificates to emergency services in Gurnee.

Waukegan to clean up its lakefront

By JEFF ZACHARY
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Waukegan's lakefront will not only get a good cleaning this coming autumn but the city will also clean up on property taxes if all goes well and condominiums are built looking over the Waukegan harbor.

"The clean up was going to start this summer but we were told the odor would be too bad so it will start in September," said Waukegan Mayor Richard Hyde.

He added that a negotiated settlement has been reached with general Motors and North Shore Gas who will spend close to \$27 million to clean up the lakefront which used to be the site of a manufacturing plant.

"Construction should be ready to begin in the fall of 2005 or early 2006 on the 32 acres," Hyde said. "It won't be the land holding up the project, but when we go out for renderings and planning, that will take a while. We want everything built there to be quality," Hyde said.

The mayor added that the condos will help the city's tax base.

Waukegan bought the land, which used to be owned by the Outboard Marine Corporation in 2002 for \$100,000.

The contaminated soil (which contains naphthalene and arsenic) will be hauled away in trucks to landfills and the site will meet all Environmental Protection Agency standards before construction begins in September.

The cleaning up of the lakefront is part of a citywide project trying to improve the image of downtown Waukegan which includes a \$24 million renovation of the Genesee Theater which is scheduled to open in late September or early October.



Actor John Cusack talks with a crew member on the set of 'Ice Harvest' at a Waukegan home in April. The film is directed by Harold Ramis and also stars Billy Bob Thornton.—Photo by Sandy Bressner

That's a wrap

Filming of 'Ice Harvest' concludes in Waukegan

By MARC JENKINS
Managing Editor

The strip clubs are shuttered, the restaurants closed, the snow stopped falling. "Ice Harvest" has now left town.

After nearly two months of intense shooting, primarily in Waukegan, final scenes of 'Ice Harvest,' a movie starring John Cusack and Billy Bob Thornton, were shot last weekend.

Nearly 50 percent of the film was shot on location in Waukegan, so the city will be sure to shine on the silver screen, even though most of the city's sights will be seen through snow and rain as crews were on hand to turn May into December in most outdoor scenes.

"It was a very positive experience," said the movie's publicist, Dave Fulton. Scenes for the movie, to be released in theaters at the end of the year, were also shot in Highland Park, Glenview, Carpentersville, Marengo and Maywood.

'Ice Harvest' is a "serious comedy," along the same vein of Joel and Ethan Coen brothers' Fargo, said the

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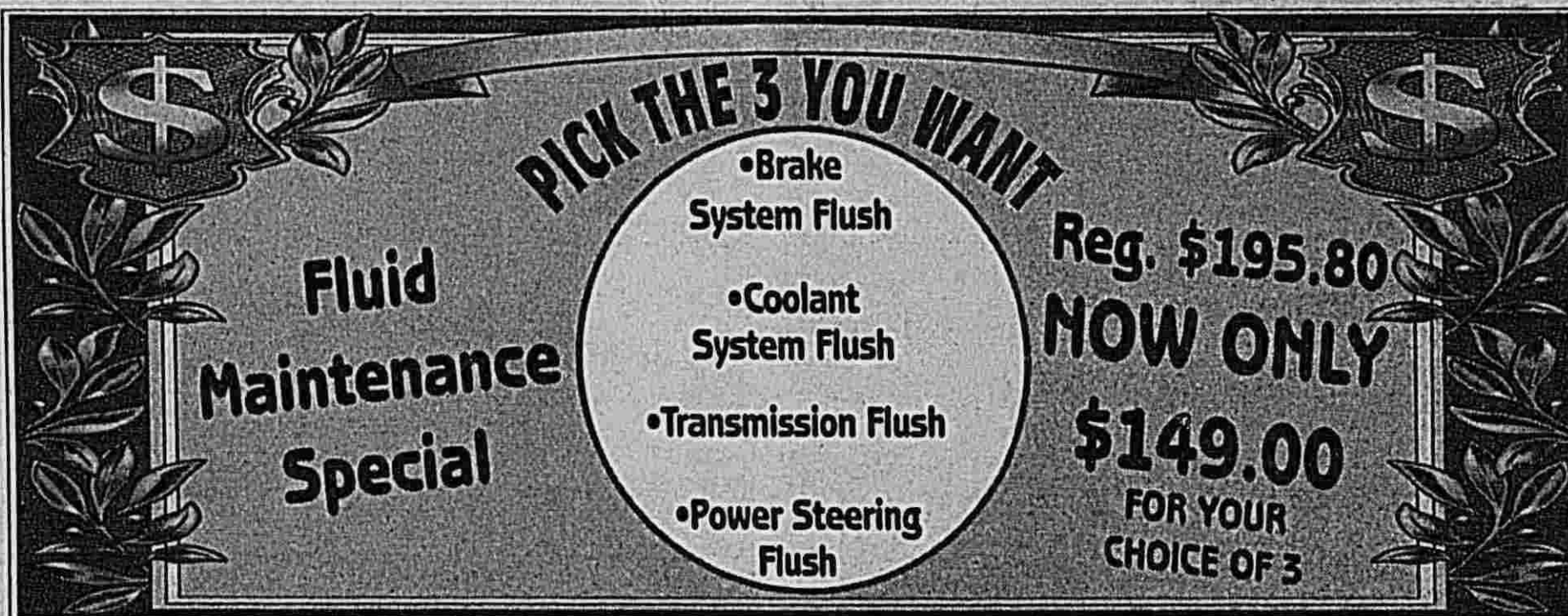
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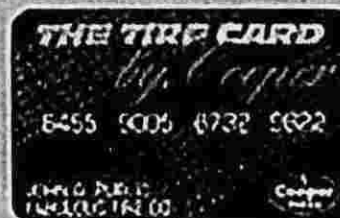
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CLC backs dental program's future

By BRIAN JANOSCH
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The College of Lake County Board of Trustees formally gave their support to the continuation of the dental hygiene program into the 2005 school year, though the board took no formal vote on the matter.

As a part of the proposed plan for developing the dental program, Carole Bulakowski, assistant vice president for educational affairs, presented three different expansion options to the board. The board expressed their support for a plan that would add on to the B wing of the Grayslake campus and cost the school an estimated \$1,560,530.

Due to all the community input on the debate, the trustees felt it best to publicly state their decision on the matter. Though the board did select the most cost efficient of the proposals, the cost still does not include the hiring of faculty.

The cost seemed very beneficial to trustee Tom Schwartz who said not having to construct a new building in conjunction with the support heard from the community made the decision easier.

Another benefit that was announced to the board came from the Chicago Dental Society, which will offer the school a grant of \$135,000. The school will use the grant to help equip the new facility once it is finished and students are enrolled. Representatives from the Chicago Dental Society were in attendance to present the grant and further express the need for part-time and full-time dentists in the area, and express their opinions on the benefits of such a facility to the dental hygiene field in the Lake County area.

The recommendation to the board to continue the dental program didn't just come from community and staff. In a survey of Lake and McHenry County dentists taken by Bulakowski, a substantial need for dental hygienists was evident.

That support was echoed when viewing the success of those to already graduate from the clinic. Many of those who recently graduated have already found their way into the professional field further showing the need for professional dental hygienists in the greater Chicagoland area.

The proposal was supported without dissent citing that giving students the opportunity to have careers was most important.

Flooded houses could be bought by County

By JEFF ZACHARY
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Just as some municipalities have bought houses that repeatedly flooded from homeowners, Lake County could soon be in a position to do the same for some of its residents if it receives \$2.3 million from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

"We applied for the money about a year ago," said Ward Miller, executive director of the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission. "FEMA had some unused money returned to them so they did a one-time national competition for grant applications and it looks like we are the only one from Illinois to apply. We are keeping our fingers crossed," he added.

Miller said the money could be used to buy

houses that repeatedly flood from homeowners.

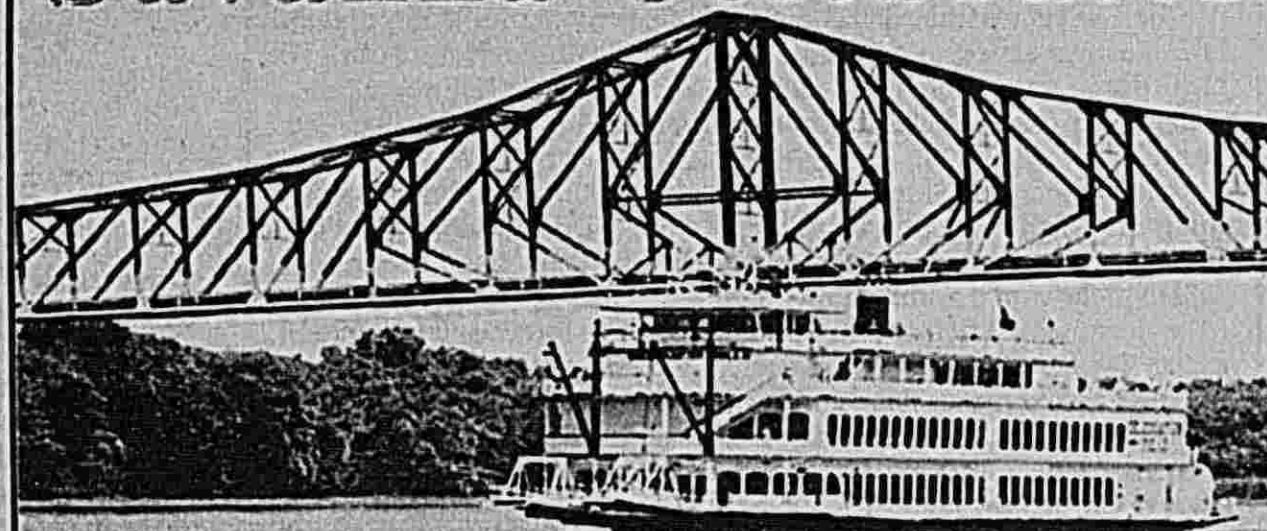
"We have homes that repeatedly flood throughout the county. Some are in Gurnee and some in the northwest part of the county. It's all done with willing sellers and willing buyers. An appraiser does a pre-damage appraisal and the homeowner is offered a fair market value price," Miller said.

Miller added that the recent flood in Gurnee was not as bad as it could have been.

"A lot of people talk about a 100 year flood on a regular basis. The flood in Gurnee was only a ten-year flood. Bigger floods are definitely possible and one of these days we are going to get a 100-year flood," Miller said.

He added that with the Fox River and the Des Plaines River and many tributaries running through parts of Lake County that the county is vulnerable to big flood.

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EDITORIAL

Help for floods coming this way

North Libertyville Estates, always lambasted when the DesPlaines River went on a rampage, came through the Flood of '04 in relatively good shape because of a system of levees completed in 1997.

Levee work in the vicinity of the Rte. 137 bridge was part of an Army Corps of Engineers response to public outcry for help following the devastating Flood of 1986 that caused millions of dollars of havoc in northeastern Illinois. The Army Corps project constituted about 25 percent of Phase I completed for the DesPlaines basin in 1999, then regarded as "taking too long to do and not doing enough."

Obviously, the soggy citizens of Gurnee have no disagreement with that assessment. Their clean-up efforts no doubt are being accompanied by plaintive wonderment over what ever happened to the rest of Phase I, a massive response that covered flooding in Kenosha County and Cook County as well as destruction in Lake County.

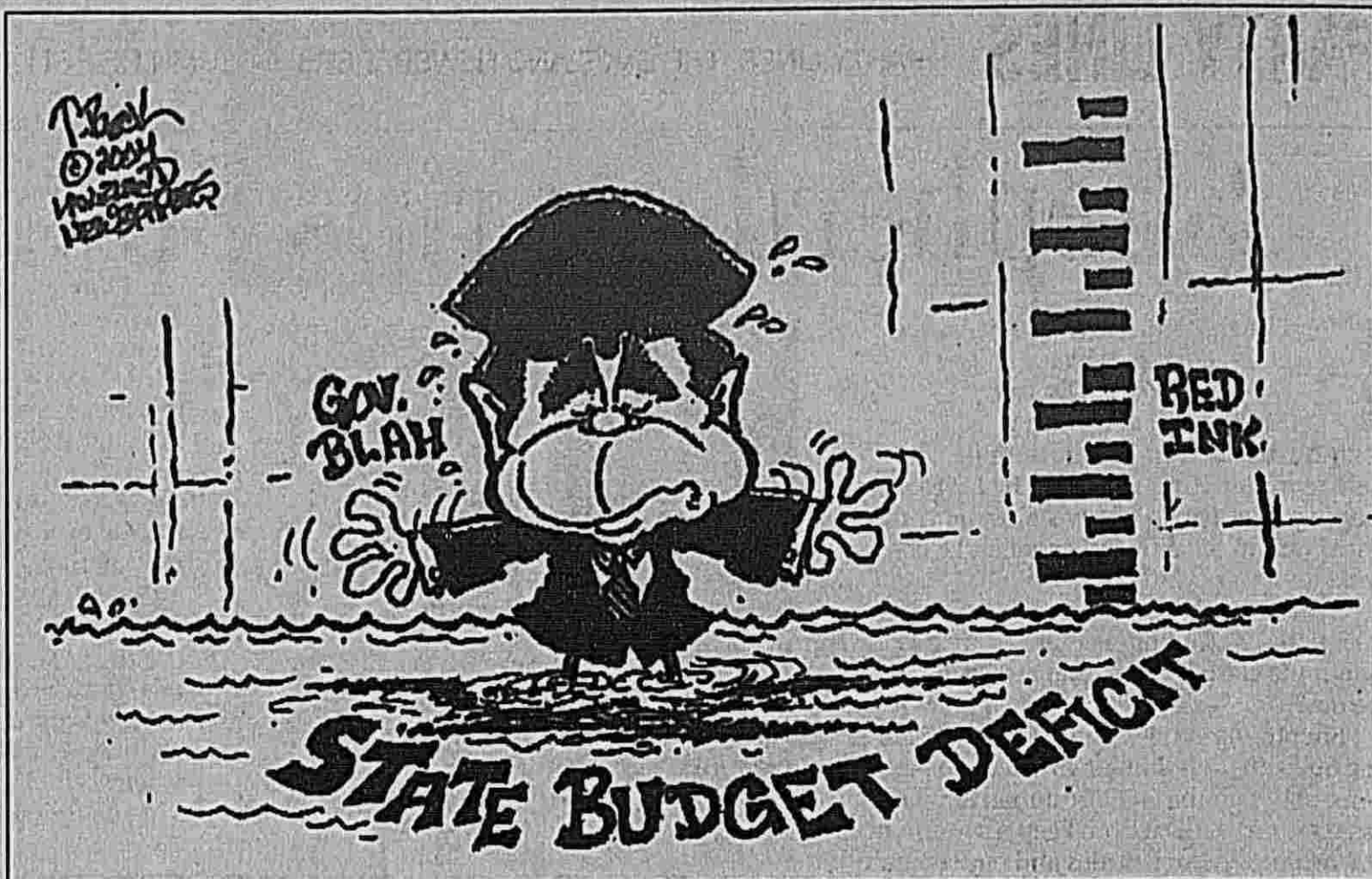
The Phase I Des Plaines response included construction of upstream storage besides levee building to protect North Libertyville Estates. It may be difficult to prove, but some of the upstream work in the vicinity of the stateline without question served to mitigate end-of-May damage in the Gurnee area. It is a truism of flood control and stormwater management that it always takes a disaster to put corrective measures in motion.

DesPlaines River residents impacted by flooding should know that help is on the way. Ward Miller, director of the Lake County Stormwater Management Agency (SMA) predicted that "lots of money is coming to Lake County" because the county is well-positioned to obtain federal relief funds. In 2000, Congress passed the Disaster Mitigation Law, an edict requiring that local jurisdictions must have mitigation plans in place to obtain U.S. dollars. That's exactly the business that SMA is in—helping citizens and local governments design mitigation plans—and why Miller can predict with certainty that help, indeed, is on the way.

We've heard plenty of grouching during the flood period about the unnerving frequency of "100-year floods." Hydrologists and ecologists use the 100-year standard, technically a one percent probability of flood levels being reached, as a textbook benchmark. Mother Nature obviously doesn't pay attention to man-made benchmarks. Those same experts look on what has just happened in the DesPlaines basin as "an event."

While there was widespread flood damage along the DesPlaines, there were high water problems in the Chain O'Lakes area around Fox Lake connected with the Fox River. Officials along the Fox would do well to make sure that mitigation plans are in place to qualify for U.S. help. Because of different rainfall conditions, the Fox wasn't impacted as heavily as the DesPlaines this year.

That's what makes flood control so maddening—and fascinating. There are different circumstances with every incidence of flooding. Remember the operative word. "Mitigation." Man hasn't yet devised ways to eliminating flooding.



VIEWPOINT

Political rumpus in super markets

There's a rumor making the rounds said to be spread by Republican mischief makers that John Kerry gets a nickel for his presidential campaign from every bottle of Heinz ketchup sold. Kerry's wife is Teresa Heinz Kerry, ketchup and pickle heiress, who would be First Lady if Kerry wins.

"Tain't so," exclaim spokesmen for the H.J. Heinz Co. "We're about food, not politics," one high ranking picket packer declared.

Whether Kerry is in a pickle over a possible political kick-back scheme, got us to wondering whether hard-rock Democrats have turned their backs on Bush's baked beans. Marketed as Bush's Best Homestyle Baked Beans (made from a secret family recipe), Bush beans are just about the best beans coming out of can money can buy.

You can put your own political spin on this, but Heinz ketchup costs more than Hunt's, another popular brand, and house brands sold across the land. Bush beans are popularly priced and sometimes are put out at four cans for \$5 bucks. Really family eating at down-to-earth Republican prices.

Bush beans have been a staple for 100 years, which means the east Tennessee company outdates the Bush political dynasty. Steve Harrison, government affairs aide for the bean packers, discounted any

scull duggery on the part of electors. "Our business has not improved with a namesake (no relation) in the White House," related Harrison, who has been with the bean company 39 years. "And it hasn't suffered, either," he added quickly.

Spells out the problem

With the power out and flood waters expanding, Doug Ploss says it would be nice to hear a kind word from persons in an official capacity when calls for help are sounded. "I'm extremely disappointed with all the 'authorities' involved. I know there's nothing that can be done about the weather or a powerful electric storm, but to stand out in the dark on our street and see the Antioch water tower about seven blocks away (across from the police station) lit up with a floodlight and



BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

the houses across the street with lights on, and with seven inches of water in our basement and have the police department tell you, 'Call ComEd,' well, we're P.O.'d. And then to have our tax bill increased over \$400." Doug's travail was shared by hundreds of persons. But not the indignity or indifference from first responders. In Ploss' case, P doesn't stand for perplexed.

Pet world's loss

Assisi Animal Foundation is getting back to normal after the death of its co-founder and patron at age 90, Isabelle Yarosh. A retired businesswoman, she formed a team with her daughter to develop a no-kill, cageless shelter for homeless dogs and cats known throughout northeastern Illinois. Ms. Yarosh got the idea for a shelter while living in Chicago. She sold her home and relocated to Crystal Lake where a small horse barn served as the first shelter. Assisi is recognized as a source for high quality pets and place where volunteers can devote their energies to caring for animals and helping educate the public on animal welfare issues. The foundation, which sponsors an annual black tie dinner-dance to raise funds, can be reached at 815-455-9411.

Pulled to Illinois

The lure of Illinois was irresistible to Francisco De Ycaza, and wife and their two young daughters. De Ycaza, 28, experienced and credentialed in the highly technical field of intellectual property and computer design reuse, worked in both private industry and the academic world in California before striking out on his own. The native of Panama has established his company, Global Technologies & Innovation Corp. (GT&I) in Gurnee. He has a degree in electrical engineering from Arizona State University and has done graduate study at Stanford University. The De Ycazas now reside in a condo in Lakemoor and are house hunting in Lake County. "Our relatives wanted us to be close by," Francisco related. "They said, 'Come to Illinois. It is so wonderful.' And here we are," he added cheerfully. He earned commendations at Intel Corporation and his written published paper on design reuse.

One man's family

Grandson John and his Cub teammates scored one of their biggest wins of the season by avenging an opener loss to the Yankees with an 8-7 win. Yes, even in Little League, a Cubs-Yankees game is big. The best part of the season so far is that the players are improving with every game.

COMMENTARY

Good management, not water, makes difference

I am speaking to the parents and referendum supporters in Gurnee 56, Woodland 50, Mundelein 75, Grayslake 46 and other school districts who want the taxpayer to pay for music, art and recreational amenities for their children under the guise of tax rate referendum.

Parents wrote letters personally attacking me for my continued opposition to these unnecessary and extravagant tax increase referenda, and factually addressing the referenda and failing public education. Their inability to refute a single point I have made and their personal attacks on myself, vindicates me and my arguments.

In Libertyville Grade School District 70, where I live, we have not had a referendum for the school district in over 20 years. I really cannot remember when.

In the past few years, the District 70 School Board has added on or expanded our five school

GUEST COMMENTARY



Jack Martin

buildings (Adler, Copeland, Rockland, Highland and Butterfield) and built a brand new district administrative office building on Lake Street. During this period, the growth line passed through Libertyville with additional children, also Libertyville's older and retiring seniors, have sold their homes and moved south and this turnover added as many children to the schools as new developments.

This happened without any referenda because Libertyville

District 70 has one of the truly good superintendents in Dr. Mark Friedman.

Dr. Friedman, I find has done a remarkable job. He has put students' academic education first.

Secondly, he realizes his responsibility to the community and taxpayers by using the resources given to him through the tax levy process. And lastly, he works for his staff, the teachers' union and administrators. Most school districts do this the other way—teachers union and their pensions first. By the way, my District 70 property tax bill was down this year.

The other indisputable fact is without any referendum, 87.8 percent of Libertyville District 70 students are meeting or exceeding the state standards. In Gurnee, Grayslake, Woodland and Mundelein, 24.9, 24.8, 25.2 and 24.6 percent respectively of their students are failing these

minimal state standards. This failure of those school districts should be warning to parents and send an alarm to hold your school boards accountable, and not Jack Martin.

I do not believe we have better water in Libertyville which makes our children smarter, but we do have a better school board and superintendent.

It would serve Lake County school districts well to let Dr. Friedman and his District 70 school board run educational seminars for their superintendents and school boards on how to deliver top quality education and be fiscally sound.

Editor's note: As a political activist and keen observer of the taxation process, Jack Martin speaks out frequently on issues involving nearby communities to Libertyville where he resides and owns a business.

PARTY LINES

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Shepherdson rips Sullivan's dual role

For bare-knuckle, no-holds-barred campaigning, the race between State Rep. **Ed Sullivan Jr.** (R-Mundelein) and **Nancy Shepherdson**, Democratic nominee for state representative from the 51st District, is shaping up as Lake County's most hotly contested race in the November general election.

Sullivan and Shepherdson, a resident of Deer Park, are trading jabs with press releases, but the clash is getting hotter almost by the day.

Shepherdson has been relentless in hitting Sullivan for holding two elected positions, although the GOP freshman legislator has gone out of his way to keep his Fremont Township assessor's duties and pay separate from legislative duties. Shepherdson delights in tabbing her opponent as a "collector of two government paychecks," although the dual role is legal.

The Democratic nominee, making her second bid for public office, has been buoyed by demographic studies showing rapid growth in Democrat voter registration. The 51st District includes Libertyville, Mundelein, Hawthorn Woods, Round Lake Park, Lake Zurich, Kildeer and part of Long Grove.

Suited for the job

The newly elected president of the Lake County Chamber of Commerce is uniquely qualified for his job. He formerly owned and operated a business. In private industry,



Shepherdson: Trading campaign bricbats at record pace before November election.



Steve Robinson was a partner in a Deerfield graphic design company which has been sold. Robinson's business promotion and development credentials include chairmanship of the Deerfield, Bannockburn, Riverwoods Chamber of Commerce.

The Lake County Chamber with affiliates Gurnee Chamber of Commerce, Waukegan Chamber of Commerce and Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, is the second largest business organization in Lake County. Recently surpassing the 800-member mark, the largest regional business group is the Green Oaks-Libertyville-Mundelein-Vernon Hills Chamber of Commerce.

Coronation

Concluding business in the current ses-

sion of the General Assembly, State Rep. **JoAnn Osmond** (R-Antioch) will be able to turn attention to her other responsibility, Lake County Republican chair. First big event of her party leadership will be the annual GOP Golf Outing and Dinner Wednesday, June 30, at Antioch Golf Club, Rte. 59. Serious golfers will be able to spend the entire day at the outing, starting with breakfast at 6:30 a.m. Lunch will be fit in after the front nine. A cocktail hour at 5:30 p.m. will precede dinner at 6:30 p.m. The outing was relocated from Midlane Country Club in Wadsworth out of deference to the new party chief. Reservations must be made by June 21 by calling 847-680-6680.

New press aide

Tami Stough of Wauconda is the new communications director for Congressman **Phil Crane** (8th-IL). Stough will be working out of Crane's Lake Villa office, Rte. 83. She previously handled communications for Woodland Consolidated School District and served as a press aide to then State Rep. **Al Salv**.

Brunch date

State Sen. **Bill Peterson** (R-Kildeer) is passing the word early to friends and supporters to reserve Sunday, Oct. 17, for his annual fundraising brunch at Marriott Lincolnshire. Reserving the date early will avoid the inconvenience of several years

ago when the long-time south county political leader was forced to change brunch dates twice because of conflicts with other Republican events.

Close to water

Even when he's having fun, Ward Miller, director of the Lake County Stormwater Management Agency, stays close to water. He's a sailing enthusiast and is proficient skipping inland scows. Miller plans to be part of the Long Lake Yacht Club fleet this summer. The flood fighter had first-hand experience with high water. Part of his pier on Round Lake floated away.

True to name

Residents of the Village of Green Oaks attending council meetings are ever mindful of how their community got its name. An old oak tree provides the backdrop for picture windows ringing the desks of village board members.

2005 mayoral candidate

Antioch Village Trustee **Dorothy Larson** is getting close to announcing her candidacy for mayor in the 2005 election. A long-time official, Larson has been critical of the administration of first-term Mayor **Taso Maravellas**, especially an inability to correct budget deficiencies and reduce the heavy turnover of village employees.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Shameful behavior

Two years ago, when my son came home from a Civil Air Patrol (volunteer auxiliary unit of the United States Air Force) meeting dressed in military fatigues, my maternal emotions got the best of me. Simultaneously, my heart filled with pride and fear. Pride that he had a desire to serve our country at such a young age...fear that in six short years Uncle Sam could lure him away from me, catapulting him into a world from which he might not return.

Undeniably, my pride has diminished considerably in the last couple of weeks as images of Iraqi prisoner abuse are consistently force-fed to viewers around the world, including millions of impressionable children like my son. Now, when I see him dressed in his BDU's (CAP lingo for fatigues), I feel repulsed even though I know in my heart that only a small portion of our country's protectors are capable of such gut wrenching brutality.

Regardless of 911 and the other atrocities committed against the U.S. by Iraqi terrorists, our soldiers represent and protect one of the most civilized and advanced countries in the world...they are supposed to be our heroes. Instead, they have done nothing but show the rest of the world that the U.S. is no better than the most barbaric Third World countries when it comes to the inhumane treatment of prisoners of war. Quite frankly, the images of Iraqi prisoners naked and shackled to each other tearfully brought to my mind past images of human atrocities committed by Hitler during World War II. Are we training our soldiers in the minor leagues to become major hitters in the game of war crimes? Are these the kind of heroes we want our children to worship and emulate?

Ideally, our country should be above this kind of behavior. Realistically, our animal instincts take precedence over the moral dilemma of right or wrong when protecting what is ours, particularly when violence is involved. However, two wrongs do not make a right and now we are paying even more dearly as American heads begin to roll at the hands of terrorists...and all because our soldiers were caught performing what they and their families callously call "pranks."

Sandy Hartogh
Grayslake

Wrong cuts

In February, Governor Blagojevich proposed a budget for next year that reflects our state's values and priorities. In order to avoid raising the income or sales tax, and provide critical funding for education, health care and public safety, the Governor is asking lawmakers to make tough budget decisions including

closing corporate loopholes, cutting unnecessary spending, requiring accountability from social service providers, and consolidating state agencies.

His proposal includes an additional \$400 million for K-12 education, \$650 million in funding to meet this year's increase in Medicaid and to provide health care for 20,000 children and 56,000 adults who would otherwise go without, and the money needed to hire an additional 500 new police officers over the next several years.

But right now in Springfield, the Illinois General Assembly is considering a budget proposal that would eliminate all new state spending on projects and services. Under this proposal:

- 150,000 people would lose their health care.
- 8,000 children would be denied the opportunity to attend pre-school.
- Local schools would lose \$400 million in funding.
- Senior citizens would lose \$100 million in prescription drug coverage.
- Funding needed to solve outstanding rape and murder cases would be lost.
- New schools couldn't be built.
- New roads couldn't be built, affecting 739 road projects.
- Universities would lose nearly \$40 million.
- Veterans homes would be neglected.
- Mass transit would be harmed.
- Breast and cervical cancer screening for 5,000 people would be eliminated.
- 5,000 children would no longer be eligible for child care.

And that's just a few of many examples. If you want to see an investment in our community, and if you don't want to see the budget balanced on the backs of children, the elderly, our schools and our veterans, call 866-757-1032 to be connected to your local legislators and tell them you support Governor Blagojevich's proposed budget.

Robert Stefanowski
Waukegan

Flood helpers thanked

To all those devoted servants who have continued on through these potentially disastrous times. We cannot thank you enough. All of you. Township highway department employees and commissioners, Lake County Department of Transportation employees and managers, Lake County Public Works Employees and managers that manned the levee 24 hours a day and kept the toe drain and man-made pond down in case the levee was topped by the crest. I know you all would have rather been at home with your families.

We truly appreciate your efforts.

A thank you to our police, sheriff deputies, and firefighters for their efforts during these times also. The volunteers WOW, the young men and women who worked so tirelessly to sand bag. I think we will do well with the next generation of citizens if these are the examples. This nation will remain strong and united.

I seem to always find questions to ask and never seem to be completely satisfied. I have to echo the question of the print media endorsed incumbent Lake county Board member who wondered out loud why the Forest Preserve hasn't shut off the pump in the lake at Independence grove? While we were both standing on top the levee during the crest. We here in North Libertyville Estates have been asking that question for decades.

I am certain this conscientious board member will motion to have the flood control designs of the Forest Preserve be utilized in the future. After all we all paid a lot in referendum

axes to get the Forest Preserve more land to help reduce flood damage. I think that I can speak for Gurnee in so much as they would have appreciated a place where hundreds or thousands of acre feet of water could have gone a bit quicker to lower the crest even farther.

It was quite a challenge to get across this county during all of this. The barricades were put up to detour us all. Just maybe the next time there might be police or sheriffs at the main intersections to hasten traffic through instead of us moving at feet per hour speeds. We were quite fortunate that there was no great need for security of isolated areas throughout the county as in "86" and "93." I realize there is quite an expense, but possibly raising these bridges a few feet might be a commendable idea.

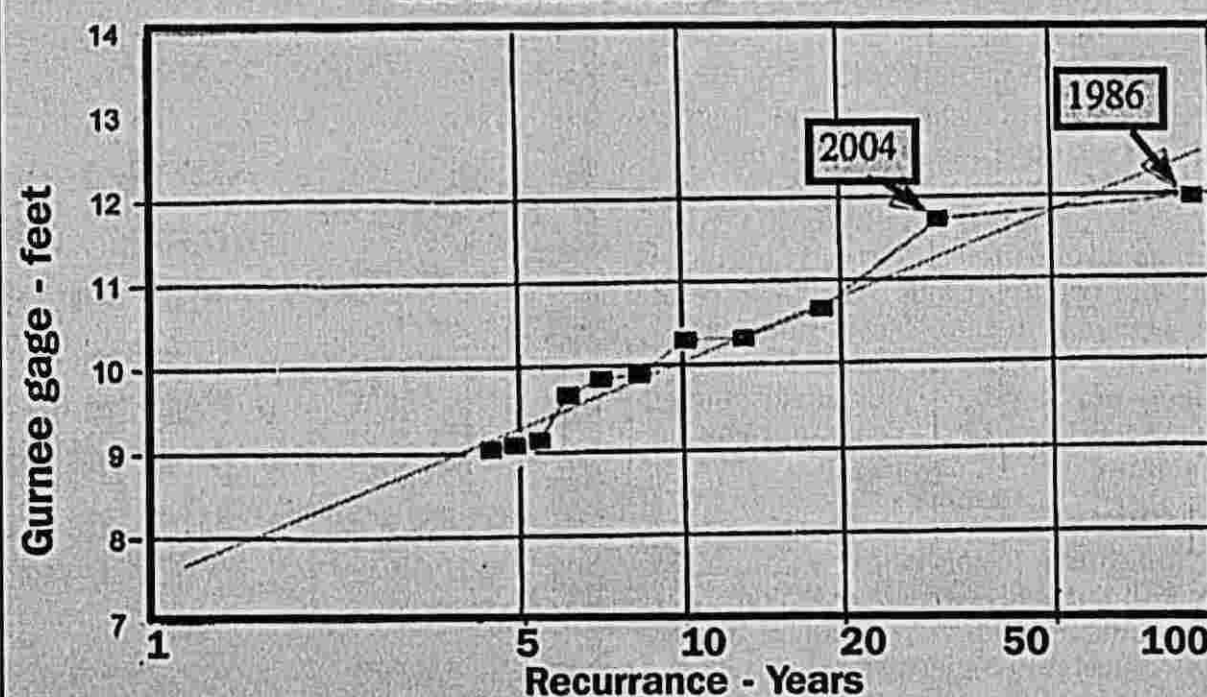
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John H. Nickels
Libertyville

DesPlaines Gurnee Flood Frequency over 9 feet

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See related letter below



Exercise flood caution

Thank you for the coverage on the recent floods. The data offered on flood stages at Gurnee invited some basic flood frequency and recurrence analysis. Attached is the resulting chart from which it can be deduced that the 10-foot stage is to be expected, or exceeded, once every 10 years. Fair warning to those in the low-lying areas. There are subjective factors in this formula but it will generally pass muster with hydrologists.

I can understand individuals buying homes, on a dry summer day without

thought to flooding; but that institutional construction, such as of a school, should be so low that it is guaranteed periodic flooding is not defensible. If the location is appropriate to their needs, then the first floor must be at least at the 12-foot gauge level (60-year level). Such prudence is displayed in other flood zones with the structures placed on pillars, or fill, such as the case in Sacramento, Calif., long before the protective levees were constructed. City streets and all new houses were built some 8 feet above ground level.

William P. Kohl
Ingleside

Route 173 Corridor Council looks for input

The Route 173 Corridor Council will hold a public review meeting to receive comments on its draft Northwest Route 173 Corridor Joint Local Land Resource Management Plan.

The meeting will be held on, June 8 (from 6-8 p.m.), at the Newport School, 15872 W. 21st Street, in Wadsworth. The first hour will be an open house for the public to review presentation materials and discuss the plan with county and municipal staff representatives. During the second hour of the meeting, the Route 173 Corridor Council will receive public comments, which will be recorded.

The Route 173 Corridor Council consists of the mayors and presidents of Antioch, Old Mill Creek, Wadsworth, Zion, and two members of the Lake County Board. The Council was formed by the joint resolution of the villages of Antioch, Old Mill Creek, and Wadsworth, city of Zion, and the Lake County Board for the purpose of coordinating land use, development, transportation improvements, and other infrastructure along the Route 173 corridor.

After the Corridor Council finalizes its review, the members will forward the plan to their respective jurisdictions for review and approval. Once adopted, the Northwest Route 173 Corridor Joint Local Land Resource Management Plan will act as a clear guide for directing growth in the Northwest Route 173 Corridor.

The Northwest Route 173 Corridor Joint Local Land Resource Management Plan is a set of recommendations for future land use and for preserving agriculture, natural resources, and the rural character of the area bound by Routes 173, 45, 41, Stateline Road and I-94. Draft plans are available for review at the following village halls: Antioch 847-395-1000, Old Mill Creek 847-838-0275, Wadsworth 847-336-7771, Zion 847-746-4014 and at the following libraries: Antioch Public Library, Warren/Newport Public Library, and the Zion Public Library or through the Lake County Planning, Building, and Development Department at 847-377-2875 and online at www.co.lake.il.us/planning/173plan.asp. Call 847-360-6734 for more information. Comments will be accepted until 5 p.m. on June 15.

COUNTY BRIEFS

Free tetanus shots for flood victims

The Lake County Health Department/Community Health Center is still providing free tetanus shots to residents involved in flood-related activities.

Anyone who has been exposed to the floodwaters and has not had a tetanus shot within the last 10 years, or can't remember when they last had a tetanus shot, is eligible for the shot. The shots are available at the Belvidere Annex, 2303 Dodge Avenue in Waukegan, from 1-3 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Health Department will provide the shots for the next several weeks, or until the flood cleanup is complete.

Power Hour grant

Boys and Girls Clubs of Lake County received a \$5,000 Power Hour grant from the JC Penney Afterschool Fund. This \$5,000 grant is one of 160 being presented by the JC Penney Afterschool Fund to local Boys and Girls Clubs across the country. Clubs will utilize grant money by implementing Power Hour during the 2004-2005 school year. Power Hour serves as a homework assistance program for youngsters, ages 6-18 and is designed to motivate and improve their homework skills.

Envirothon 2004

Northeastern Illinois Eastman Envirothon is an environmental competition among high school students from area counties. In this year's competition 36 teams of five students gathered to learn about the environment, combining in-class curriculum with hands-on field experiences, while demonstrating the role people have in important environmental issues, such as forestry and wildlife management, water quality, and soil erosion.

Lake County was represented by the following schools: NCCHS, GCHS, Deerfield High School and WTHS.

Top winners in Lake County were WTHS, who was under the guidance of Mike Mieszala. Second place went to GCHS under the supervision of Mike McMahon. Third place was taken by NCCHS led by Jill Tompkins and DHS, lead by Angel Rodriguez and Stephanie Zaucha took fourth.

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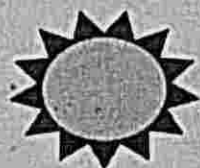
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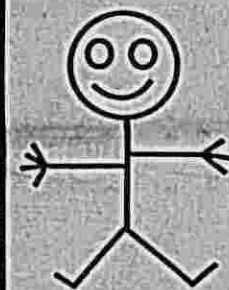
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Bernard Chevrolet celebrates 90 years

By BRIAN JANOSCH
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In 1911 William Durant and Buick racing car driver Louis Chevrolet launched the Chevrolet Motor Car Company. Just three years later John Bernard purchased a handful of vehicles, some necessary tools, a garage and a lot in downtown Libertyville giving birth to Bernard Chevrolet.

Ninety years later the dealership has moved to a bigger lot, they've added a few more garages and a lot more tools, but the name on the building still remains the same.

Bernard Chevrolet.

In a day and age when companies are bought and sold like the cars Bernard has been selling for years, Bernard has withstood the test of time and remained what many businesses no longer are. A family business.

"It means a lot to me because my husband was a part of it," said longtime Bernard employee and one of the few remaining family members in the business Ione Bernard. "So what stands out the most is that it's still under the name of Bernard Chevrolet."

John Bernard brought his three sons into the business with him in 1948. Jack Bernard worked in parts, Bob Bernard was in service and Ray Bernard worked in the office. But the family tree doesn't end there. Bob Bernard's son Bill has now taken over the service aspect of the dealership, while Ray Bernard's son Craig stands as the current owner. But according to Craig, the Bernard family has actually been growing over the years as nearly 15 employees have been with Bernard for more than 20 years.

"It's especially nice that we have a wonderful employee base that's been around for many, many years," Craig

Bernard said. "It has become more than just the family that owns it, it's the family that works here."

A lot has changed in the 90 years as Bernard has grown to feature RVs, trucks, program cars and used cars. But more than anything, it's been the prices that have seen the biggest change. When Chevrolet originally started some cars sold for a measly \$750.

Regardless of how much has changed with the dealership, the most important thing to the Bernard family is that the dream of one man has been able to live on for 90 years now. To celebrate Bernard Chevrolet has had special deals, Wednesday night cruise nights at Hawthorn Mall, and more events are scheduled throughout the year.

"The key to lasting that long is satisfying the customers and the employees," Craig Bernard said.



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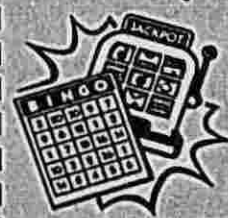
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Vista Health names manager for new Vista imaging center

Vista Health recently welcomed Jeff Lynch as manager for the new state-of-the-art Vista Imaging Center, a department of Victory Memorial Hospital that will open late this summer. In this role, Lynch is responsible for overseeing the daily operations of the imaging center, coordinating the scheduling of appointments, and working with physicians to meet their needs.

The new Vista Imaging Center, scheduled to open in July, 2004, will be conveniently located at 95 North Greenleaf, Gurnee, in the midst of the Gurnee medical community. It will be a facility like no other in the area, offering the latest imaging technology for mammography, ultrasound, bone densitometry, general diagnostic imaging, and 16-slice CT scanning—the latest generation.

In addition to the comprehensive imaging services available, the Vista Imaging Center will also offer Positron Emission Tomography (PET) imaging. PET is advanced technology that allows a physician to examine the heart, brain, and other organs.

"PET/CT imaging is unique in that it shows the chemical functioning of organs and tissues, while using CT to correlate location with structures. PET is particularly useful for the detection of cancer, coronary artery disease and brain disease. This highly advanced technology brings patients a faster and more accurate method of diagnosing several types

of cancer, heart diseases and brain disorders," explains Lynch.

The Vista Imaging Center is the only facility of its type in the Lake County area to offer

"The Vista Imaging Center will be a more flexible and efficient experience for both the patient and physician. We have raised the standard for imaging centers in this area."

Jeff Lynch

this type of high-tech imaging services to area residents. "We are very pleased to be able to offer physicians and patients this advanced imaging technology. This is further evidence of Vista Health's commitment to bringing the latest medical technology to Lake County and the Lakeshore communities," Lynch says.

In this age of immediacy, area physicians will appreciate another impressive feature of the new Vista Imaging Center. "When we open our doors, we will have the ability to provide physicians with immediate access to their patients' images before the patient even leaves our facility. Physicians will need access to the internet and a personal computer. They

will then be able to view their patients' images at their office, hospital or even in the comfort of their own home. Needless to say, this will help physicians enhance their diagnostic work up time. It sounds almost too good to be true, but this is what we will be able to offer physicians," Lynch explains.

In addition to the highly advanced technological services offered at the new Vista Imaging Center, this facility also boasts convenience to both the patient and the physician. The facility is centrally located in the heart of Gurnee, making it easily accessible. Plus, patients and physicians will find the center offers many conveniences.

"The Vista Imaging Center will be a more flexible and efficient experience for both the patient and physician. We have raised the standard for imaging centers in this area. Together with the Vista MR Institute, Vista Health has conveniently located imaging services in one general location. Obviously this is a win-win for patients and physicians. We feel good about our ability to be able to offer this unique combination of technology and customer service to the people of Lake County," Lynch concludes.

All Lake County physicians are welcome to refer their patients to the new Vista Imaging Center for testing and to consult with the radiologists on staff at the center.



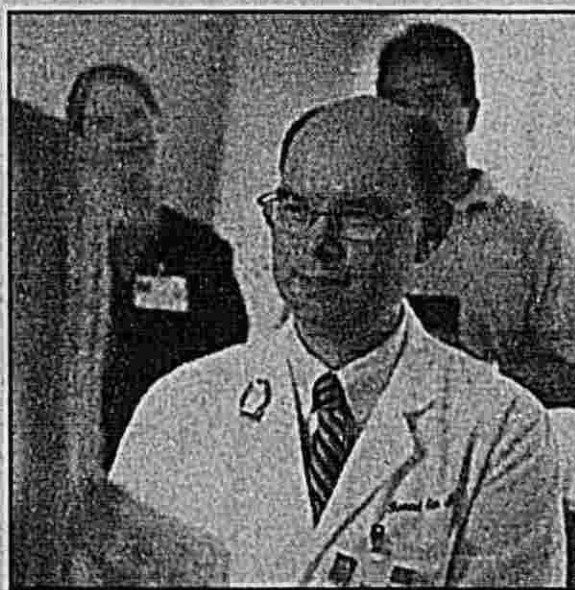
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The assisted living respite program at The Village at Victory Lakes has proven useful to people looking for a temporary care arrangement, also. Sometimes people recovering from a major illness or surgery are not comfortable returning home from the hospital because they need extra assistance for a time. Or, someone whose family caregiver plans an out of town vacation can find a short stay at assisted living helpful.

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Assisted Living at The Village at Victory Lakes is a state-licensed program, staffed with qualified professionals 24-hours a day. It is part of the complete continuum of care offered by The Village at Victory Lakes continuing care retirement community which is located off Grand Avenue (Route 132) just west of downtown Lindenhurst. The Village provides independent, assisted and long-term care living options for adults aged 62 and better. To learn more about Assisted Living at The Village at Victory Lakes, call 847-356-4800.

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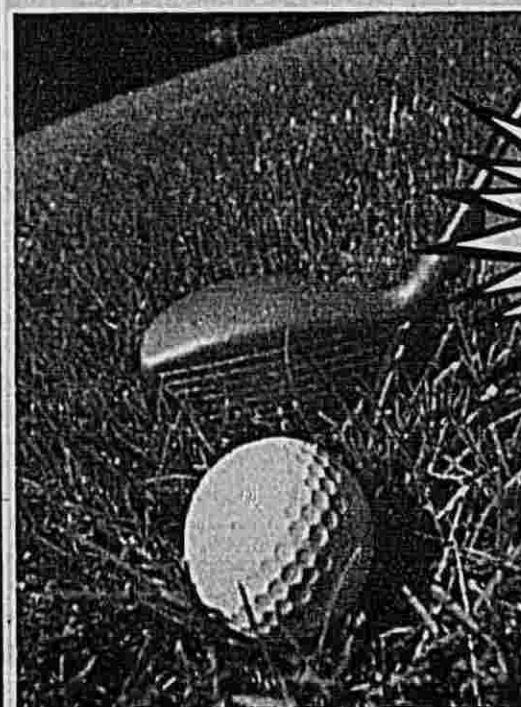
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MOVIE

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Fulton and location manager Steve Andrzejewski agreed that Waukegan has been more than generous in accommodating the production.

"(Waukegan public relations director) David Motley let it be known that we can come back any time," said Andrzejewski, a 20-year veteran of the industry. "Word about Waukegan has gotten out. It's a great place to make a movie."

Andrzejewski said Waukegan's

vintage buildings, architectural history and proximity to major highways played roles in getting the movie here. While he couldn't be specific, he said another major movie's location scouts are eyeing Waukegan for a future film.

Director Harold Ramis' strong desire to have Ice Harvest shot here obviously came to fruition.

"Harold's desire and (Illinois Film Office Managing Director) Brenda Sexton's work to make it happen were the key factors in bringing this here," Berger said in an earlier interview. "If not for these efforts, this production would have traditionally escaped to Canada."

Cast members also include Connie Nielsen and Oliver Platt.

How you can help lakes stay safe in summer

Summertime is quickly approaching, a time when thousands of Lake County residents utilize some of the County's most precious resources: our lakes. The Lake County Health Department/Community Health Center offers the following advice to Lake County residents on how to help maintain and protect the water quality of our county's more than 200 in-land lakes, as well as Lake Michigan:

Before you fertilize, have your soil tested to determine if you need to add any nutrients to your lawn. Generally, only new lawns need phosphorous to promote and establish root growth. If a lawn care company applies fertilizer to your lawn, ask them to do a soil test and to use fertilizer with low or no phosphorous.

Do not fertilize near the lake. Create at least a 10 to 50-foot buffer

of native plants on the shoreline to filter the runoff and help stabilize the shoreline.

Make sure to use phosphorus-free car wash soap and other cleaners.

Do not burn lawn waste near the lake. The ashes will travel into the lake. The best method for lawn waste disposal is to compost the material or burn away from the lake in a contained barrel.

Make sure to read labels and follow directions on all insecticides and herbicides. Some of these products can kill fish.

Do not modify the lake. Plants and tree deadfall can be nesting and resting habitats for animals and can create a safe haven from predators. Only modify the lake to accomplish a goal such as to dock and store a boat and install the smallest pier required.

Make sure septic systems and

septic pumps are checked regularly. Septic systems need to be checked and pumped at least every two years. They should also operate properly and be maintained. Sump pumps are for ground water only. They should not be receiving water from washing machines or other household appliances. Water from the sump pumps should be directed into an infiltration pit instead of directly to the lake so any pollutants can be absorbed by the soil.

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CARMEL SPORTS ROUNDUP

By BRIAN JANOSCH
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Baseball

Carmel captured another regional title Tuesday as they defeated the Grayslake Rams 5-2. The game had been suspended on Monday after one inning due to rain.

"The seniors were the ones that really picked us up today," Carmel coach Chuck Gandolfi said. "We had to earn it."

The suspension forced the Corsairs to start the day in a one run, one-inning hole with Grayslake southpaw senior Adam Butler dealing on the mound. He was matched up against fellow lefty Mike O'Leary from Carmel. But the left-handed duel wouldn't last long as Serio was pulled for senior Bryan Dovichi in the middle of the third inning.

"There's no tomorrow," Gandolfi said. "There wasn't room for error so we had to do what we thought was the best thing."

With runners on first and third, and only one out, Dovichi proceeded to move the runner to second with a wild pitch. With junior Doug Hanson at the plate the threat of the game being blown wide open was suddenly at hand.

"(Hanson) sort of had my number last time we played them," Dovichi said. "He hit a three-run home-run against me last time, so I was kind of scared of that, but I knew my defense would back me up."

The table was eerily set for yet another bit Hanson home run. But in the blink of an eye, Dovichi stunned the runner on third with a lightning quick pick-off move that gave him two outs. He then dealt to Hanson, who turned his pitch inside out and lined the ball right towards a gap in the infield. But Dovichi's replacement at second, Joey Gaza, stepped in front of the ball and squeezed it for the third out.

Butler continued to throw a great game, giving up only one run on a double steal up until the sixth inning when the Carmel seniors took over. Nate Rittenberry led off the inning with a solo home run, followed by a double from senior Brandon Ziemann, another double from Mike Serio, to make the score 3-1. Sophomore Jeff Greco and Junior Ryan

Meehan each contributed with an RBI later in the inning.

Junior outfielder Bobby Truckenbrod took advantage of Dovichi's lone mistake of the day in the seventh when he led off the inning with a solo shot of his own. But that would be the end of the rally as Dovichi would get two of his three strikeouts in that inning.

Grayslake finished the year 16-18, but with a bright future as six starters will be returning to the club next season and five sophomores manned the squad this year.

"I think that because we were young, at times we showed that we were young," Grayslake coach Troy Whalen said. "Obviously the fact that we played in a regional championship game shows that we made improvements throughout the course of the year and it gives us something to build on going into next year."

Carmel now moves onto the sectional round held at Stevenson High School. They will play Warren, which defeated Stevenson 6-5 to win their regional.

Volleyball

All season long, Carmel was out to prove that they were every bit as good as last year's team that reached the Elite Eight.

The 2004 Corsairs came within one win of doing just that before bowing out to Palatine in the Warren sectional finals on Saturday.

After the first game, Carmel appeared to be well on its way to an easy victory.

Everything went right for the Corsairs in the opening game as they won it easily, 25-14.

"In that first game our experience really showed," Carmel coach Jon Baffico said. "Then Palatine settled down."

The second game was tied 21-21 before the Pirates rattled off four of the next five points to take it 25-22.

The third game was one to remember as the two teams went back and forth, with Carmel actually serving for the match at 24-23. However, Palatine came back and won 27-25 to take the sectional title.

"That third game was back and forth," Carmel setter Mike Morici said. "They just



Carmel's Jeff Greco tags Grayslake's Rick Krajewski out on his way to home plate during the 5-2 regional championship win for the Corsairs at Mundelein High School.— Photo by Sandy Bressner

made a few more plays than we did."

"We weren't surprised that they came back," Baffico said. "They stayed aggressive all match long—that was the difference."

Dan Krzmarzick led the Corsairs with 11 kills and five blocks. Morici (23 assists, 9 digs), Dan Garwood (7 blocks, 7 kills) and Graham Kolb (13 digs, 5 blocks) also had solid efforts.

Despite the loss, which dropped Carmel's final record to 31-5, the team chose to look at the positives of the season.

"It was a great season," Morici said. "We didn't think we would even get this far. It shows we were just as good as last year's team."—Rob Backus contributed to this report

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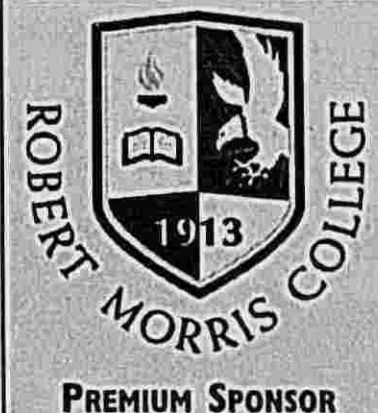
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Carmel's Looby hurdles competition at state

Antioch, Grayslake contingents also fare well

By JOHN PHELPS
Lakeland Correspondent

After starting the 2003-04 high school sports seasons with a football championship, Carmel High's boys track team hoped it could end the state competition positively.

James Looby led the Corsairs with a third-place effort in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles. He had a time in the finals of 38.62.

"He had quite an exceptional couple of days. He had a great day on Friday. We knew all along that he could finish in the top five," said CHS coach Jim Halford.

Looby was the area's top hurdler as he won the East Suburban Conference title and

sectional title.

Looby was the only area athlete to place at the Class AA meet at Eastern Illinois University. Teammate Jim Larson was 17th in the shot put.

The Corsairs were able to win the ESCC, for the fourth straight year. Halford said he hopes his team may contend again next year.

Although nobody made it to the finals in their respective events, the bar was raised for both Grayslake and Antioch Community High Schools.

Grayslake Bob Applehans was a force in the throwing events all season long.

"He was focused on his goals and what he wanted to do right from the beginning of the

season," said Rams first-year head coach Brent Pitt.

"He got much stronger in the off-season and just had the determination to get better. He is a leader by example."

Throughout the course of this spring Applehans tore it up in both the discus and shot put, medalling in both in most of Grayslake's competitions.

At sectionals, Applehans, a two-time All-Fox Valley winner, broke his own school record in the discus, tossing a 158-foot even.

Applehans also broke a 46-year-old school record with his throw of 53-feet, 1-inch at the Fox Valley Meet, shattering the old mark (51-8).

At state, he finished 16th out of three flights competing. Unfortunately, only the top-12 made it to the finals. Applehans' best toss at state was 156 feet, 11 inches.

"Bob threw well and his attitude was great down there," Pitt said.

As for Antioch, it's been awhile since three individuals have made the trip to the state meet.

Two-time state qualifier Andy Napier gave it all he had in this, his senior campaign.

Napier came within a second of making it to the finals of the 1,600-meter run after clocking in with a 4:24.72. Competing in one of three heats, Napier wound up 16th out of approximately 43 runners. The last time qualifying for the top-12 was 4:23.28.

"Andy had his work cut out for him," said Antioch head coach Norm Hahn. "There were a lot of good runners in the 1,600. It was tough. A lot of them were under 4:20."

This fall, Napier will showcase his talents when he walks on at the University of Iowa. Hahn said Iowa was really interested in Napier and that he could possibly work his way into a scholarship.

Napier's running mate, senior Jim Beatty, also competed well downstate but also ran into some stiff competition.

Also a two-time state qualifier, Beatty posted a 9:54 running in the first of his two heats.

Hahn said Beatty's time was good enough for a top-5 finish out of the two heats

but no quite good enough for the final-12.

"Again, there were some excellent runners in the long distance events," Hahn said. "Jim knew it would be tough. He and Andy were both a little disappointed because they knew they had good shots at getting to the finals. But that just shows you the quality of runners they were competing against."

Come this fall, Beatty will head down to central Illinois and Augustana College, where he'll compete for the Vikings track and field team.

Senior Oleg Sokolov was the Sequoia's third state qualifier. Sokolov, who transferred to ACHS last year after spending his first two at Niles North High School, came into his own this spring.

"He really developed nicely after his injuries last year," Hahn said. "He battled shin problems from having to plant and twist one foot right before the jump."

Sokolov indeed was a pleasant surprise seeing that he only jumped 5-6 his sophomore year.

At the state meet, he also just missed the finals after leaping 6-2 in the prelims. That put him fourth in his flight and 17th overall out of 37 jumpers. Six-foot, 3-inches earned a trip to the finals.

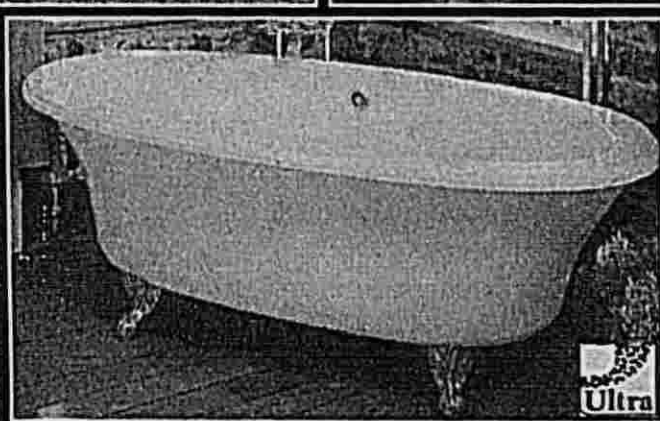
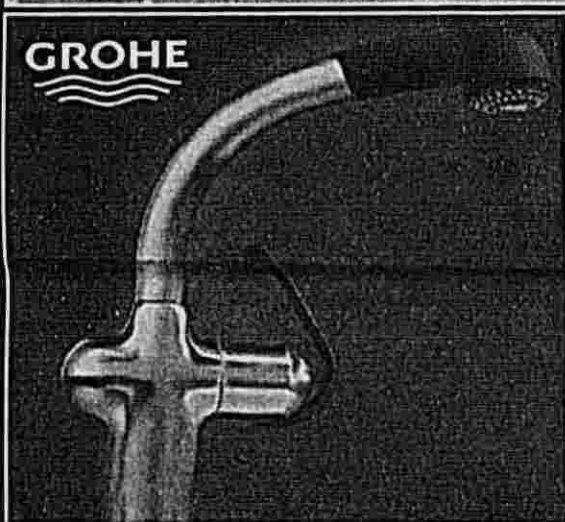
"He was right there," Hahn said. "He had never jumped over 6-1 before this year. He was a little disappointed because he also came so close to making it (to the finals)."

As for Sokolov, he will attend Lake Forest College next year. LFC currently does not have a track and field program but there has been talk of starting one in the near future.

Hahn was quick to sing the praises of his three seniors, not only on the track but in the classroom as well.

"I'm sorry to see these three go," the coach said. "All three were All-Conference and Academic All-Conference this year. They're all honor students and good leaders. Jim and Andy were two of our captains this season."—Steve Peterson contributed to this report

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Carmel's James Looby clears a hurdle during the 300-meter intermediate hurdle finals at the IHSA Track and Field Championships in Charleston.—Photo by Steve Young



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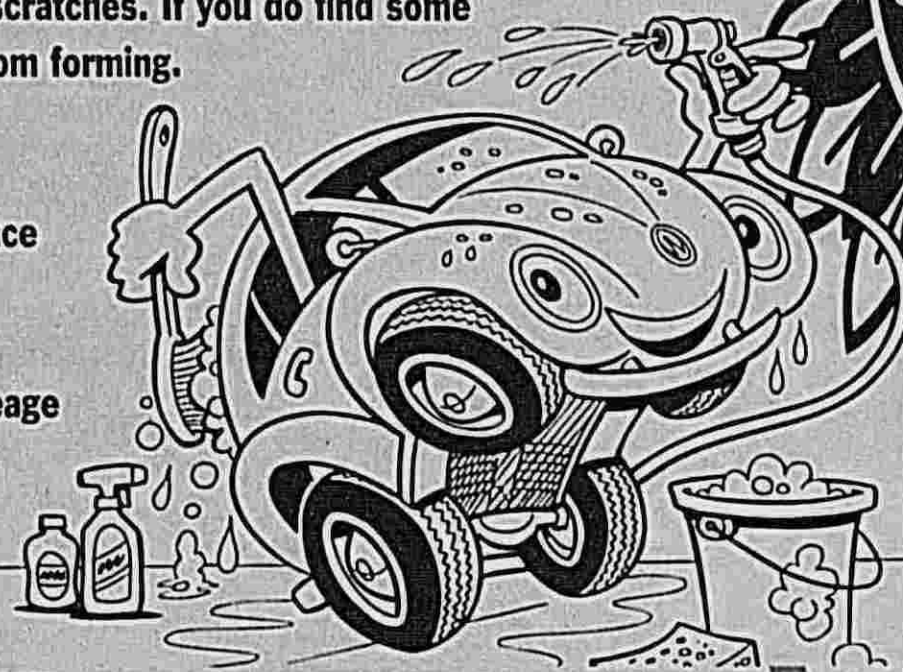
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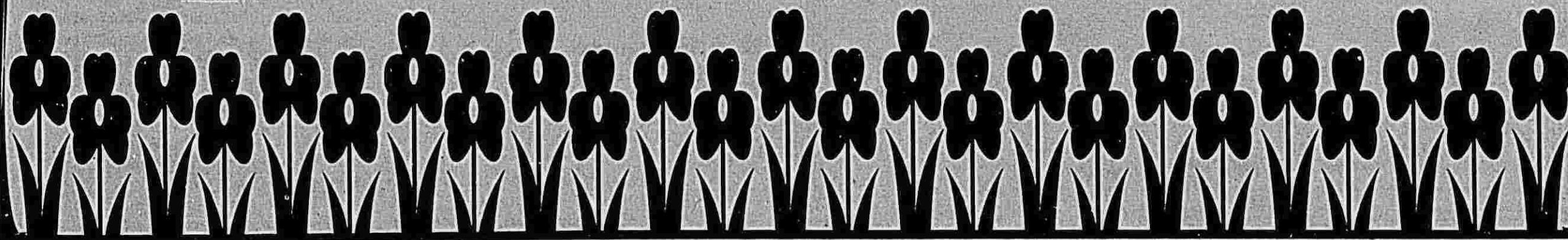
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Russell 'Rusty' Anderson

Age 15 of Antioch, passed away Sunday May 30, 2004 at Children's Hospital of Milwaukee, Wis. He was born in Evanston, the son of Forest and Christine (Barta) Anderson. He lived most of his life in Antioch where he was a member of St. Peter Church, a graduate of the Antioch Upper Grade School and was currently a freshman at Antioch Community High School.

Survivors include his parents, Forest and Christine; a sister, Cara; and his maternal grandmother, Bernice Barta of Evanston. He is preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Russell and paternal grandparents, Charles and Ruth Anderson.

Funeral services with Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, June 5, at St. Peter Church, 557 Lake St., Antioch. Interment will follow in Millburn Cemetery, Old Mill Creek. Visitation will be held Friday, June 4, from 4-8 p.m., at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, 1055 Main St. (Route 83) Antioch. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make donations to the Russell Anderson Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 160 Antioch, IL 60002 in his memory.

Hildegard B. Gilly

Age 80 of Antioch, passed away Saturday, May 29, 2004 at her home. She was born in Nuhsdorf, Germany, the daughter of the late Max and Emilie Dietz. Before her retirement in 1974, she worked as a school bus driver for the Lake Zurich School District. On May 11, 1946 she married Robert D. Gilly in Palatine.

Survivors include her husband of 58 years, Bob; two sons, Robert A. (Lynn) of Roselle, and Barry W. (Marge) of Johnsburg; four grandchildren, and her son-in-law, Dave Smrecek of Waukesha, Wis. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by a daughter, Barbara E. Smrecek.

Funeral services were held at 7 p.m., June 3, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch in Antioch, with visitation starting at 4 p.m. Private interment was in Randhill Park Cemetery in Arlington Heights. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make donations to Multiple Sclerosis, the American Cancer Society or Condell Hospice, Libertyville, IL 60048, in her memory.

Brandon M. Klaw

Age 17 of Antioch, passed away Thursday, May 27, 2004 at Condell Medical Center, Libertyville. He was born in Evanston, the son of Michael and Elizabeth (Wyld) Klaw. He had lived in Round Lake Beach and graduated from Palombi Intermediate School in Lake Villa. Brandon was currently a junior at Antioch Community High School and was attending the Technology Campus at the College of Lake County.

Survivors include his parents, Michael and Elizabeth; his brother, Justin and sister, Megan both at home; his maternal grandfather, Phil Wyld of Palos Heights; his paternal grandfather, Joseph Klaw of Mokena; and his great grandmothers, Betty Burns and Betty Wyld. He is preceded in death by his grandmothers, Mary Ellen Wyld and Bonnie Busch.

Visitation will be held on June 1, from 2-8 p.m. at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch. Funeral services and interment was private. Those desiring may make donations to a family memorial in his memory.

Ralph G. Brooke

Age 80 of Antioch, passed away Thursday May 27, 2004 at Aurora Medical Center, Kenosha, Wis. He was born in Casey, the son of the late

Ralph M. and Florence R. (Scott) Brooke. Mr. Brooke was the choir and band director at Casey High School before he moved to Antioch in 1964 where he directed the choir and was the Fine Arts Chairman at Antioch Community High School. On April 30, 1949 he married Lee N. Nugent in Alexandria, La., and she preceded him in death on Jan. 31, 2003.

Survivors include his son, David (Patti) Brooke of Antioch; six grandchildren, three great grandchildren, one sister, and a brother. In addition to his parents and his wife, he is preceded in death by a daughter, Ruth Sheldon and two brothers.

Memorial funeral services were held at 7 p.m., June 3, at the United Methodist Church, in Antioch, with Pastor Gary L. Curl, officiating. Private interment was held in Hillside Cemetery, Antioch. Visitation was held at the church from 4 p.m., until time of the services. In lieu of flowers, those desiring may make donations to the Ralph G. Brooke Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 408 Antioch, IL 60002 in his memory. Arrangements were handled by Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Helen M. Gustafson

Age 85 of Leisure Village, Fox Lake, passed away Thursday May 27, 2004 at her home. She was born the daughter of the late Herbert and Helen (Nicolai) Penzel. On July 15, 1939 she married Eric W. Gustafson in Chicago and he preceded her in death on Aug. 10, 1972.

Survivors include her two daughters, Carolyn (Richard) Walgand of Elkhorn, Wis. and Linda (Jerry) Mulso of Antioch; three grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. In addition to her parents and her husband, she is preceded in death by a brother.

Funeral services were held at noon, June 2, at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch, with visitation starting at 10 a.m. Private interment was in Montrose Cemetery in Chicago. Those desiring may make donations to the American Cancer Society in her memory.

Michael J. Snow

Age 47 of Burlington, Wis., passed away Wednesday, May 26, 2004 at Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital in Watertown, Wis. He was born in Chicago the son of Jerome and Jean (Huestis) Snow. He had worked at Diemede Tool in Genoa City, Wis., as a tool and die maker. On Aug. 18, 1990 he married Deborah Duha at the United Methodist Church in Antioch.

Survivors include his wife, Deborah; a stepson, Christopher Becker; his mother, Jean Snow of Richmond; a sister, and two brothers. He is preceded in death by his father, Jerome.

Memorial funeral services were held at 3 p.m., May 29, at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch in Antioch, with Rev. Gary L. Curl of the United Methodist Church of Antioch, officiating. Interment was private. Visitation was held from 1 p.m., May 29 at the funeral home until time of services. Those desiring may make donations to the American Diabetes Foundation in his memory.

John M. Bellino

Age 73 of Woodstock, passed away Tuesday, May 25, 2004 at Northern Illinois Medical Center in McHenry. He was born Feb. 3, 1931 in Chicago to Frank and Sylvia (Mactains) Bellino. He married Dorores M. Wojcik in Chicago. Formerly of Chicago and Hoffman Estates, he moved to Woodstock in 1978. He served in the U.S. Air Force. John was the service manager for Mitchell Buick, Olds and GMC

Inc in McHenry for many years. He enjoyed bowling, making miniature furniture and accessories for doll houses.

Survivors include his wife of 44 years; three children, Debra Lynn (David) Schill of Island Lake, Bonnie Kay (Chris) Ogden of Cary, John (Christine) Bellino of Boise, Idaho; five grandchildren, Jonathon, David, and Elizabeth Schill of Island Lake, Jennifer (David) Berezowski of Glendale, Calif., C.J. Ogden of Cary; great granddaughter, Jordyn Berezowski; sister, Veronica (Michael) Bushner of Waco, Tex. He is preceded in death by his parents.

Visitation was held from 5-8 p.m., May 28 at the George R. Justen & Sons Funeral Home in McHenry. Interment was private. Memorials to the family would be appreciated.

Roy Francis Wagner

Age 81, a resident of Long Lake area since 1956, died Tuesday, May 25, 2004 at the Northern Illinois Medical Center in McHenry after fighting a long illness. He was born on Feb. 21, 1923 in Freeport, to Francis and Marie (nee Suska) Wagner and had attended Fenger High School in Chicago. He enlisted in the U.S. Army and served with the 45th adt and 30th div. as rifleman in England, France, Belgium and Germany and assisted in placing direct fire upon enemy lines under his direction. He was active in patrolling, and had supervised over 36 men, holding rank of Cpl. at the time of his honorable discharge from the 45th Air Depot on Oct. 31, 1945.

He had received numerous medals and citations including two Bronze Stars. On Aug. 2, 1947, he was united in marriage to Virginia Petersen at St. Paul Congregational Church in Chicago. He was employed with International Harvester (Hough) in Libertyville for 28 years before his retirement, and had been a welder by trade. He was a member of the AUW, and had been a former member of the Lakes Region American Legion Post 703 of Fox Lake, the VFW, and had enjoyed golfing and stamp collecting.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Virginia Wager of Ingleside; his children, Shirley (Steve) Leader of McCullom Lake, David (Cheryl) Wagner of Ingleside, Kirby (Susan) Wagner of Lindenhurst; by three grandchildren, Chelsea Leader of McCullom Lake, Vincent Taulbee of McCullom Lake, Michele Nix of Lindenhurst; two great grandsons, Tyler and Clayton Nix of Lindenhurst; by his sister Lottie Zaber of Morton Grove. He is preceded in death by his parents and by a sister, Helen Galkowski.

Visitation was on May 29 from 1-4 p.m. at the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home in Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake) Funeral Service was conducted at 4 p.m., May 29 at the Funeral Home with Father Dan Reardon officiating. Interment was private.

John M. Palansky Jr.

Age 81 of Libertyville, passed away Tuesday, May 25, 2004 at the Lake Forest Hospital. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps, having served in the Pacific Theatre during WWII and was a recipient of the Purple Heart. He was also a member of the Libertyville American Legion Post 329. He was involved with and a great supporter of the Kalamazoo Air Zoo in Michigan.

Surviving are his wife Dorothy; three children, Bruce (Diane) Palansky of Westland, MI., Carl (Kimberly) Palansky of Lindenhurst and Gail (Don) Hamil of Green Oaks; a grandson, Noah Palansky and a sister.

Funeral Service was held at 3:30 p.m., May 28 at St. John's Lutheran Church, in Libertyville. Interment followed at Lakeside Cemetery. Visitation was from 4-8 p.m. on May 27 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Memorial donations would be preferred to either St. John's Lutheran Church or the Kalamazoo Air Zoo in his memory.

Angeline M. Wix

Of Antioch, reached the end of her journey, stepping into the open arms of her Lord on May 26, 2004. Born July 28, 1928 in Milwaukee, Wis.

She is survived by her six children, Colleen Wix of Bristol, Wis., Randy (Valerie) Wix of Naples, Fla., Yvonne Lugo of Antioch, Jeff Wix of Trevor, Wis., Christine (Dan) Kantak of Antioch and Shelly Wix of Naples, Fla.; seven grandchildren and a great grandson.

Memorial Services were held at St. Peter's Church in Antioch on Friday, May 28 at 10 a.m.

Ellen Swieton (nee Tooley)

Age 67 of Huntington, W. Va., formerly of Round Lake Beach, passed away Wednesday, May 26, 2004 in Huntington, W. Va. She was born the daughter of the late Lawrence and Emma (Adkins) Tooley.

Survivors include her husband, Kenneth Swieton; eight children, Lynn (nee Cooke) Tomblin, John (Gabrielle) Cook, Vicki (Todd

Kennedy, Kenneth (Diana) Swieton Jr., Linda Swieton, Diane (Steve) Tomasello, Charlie (Kim) Swieton, and Joe (Joyce) Swieton; a brother and sister-in-law; 22 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and her dear friend, Jane Hurt. She is preceded in death by five brothers and three sisters.

Visitation was from 6-9 p.m., June 1 at the Justen's Round Lake Funeral Home, in Round Lake. The funeral service was at 11 a.m., June 2 at the funeral home. Rev. Lisle Kauffman officiated. Interment was in Avon Centre Cemetery in Grayslake.

Pamela J. Meyers

Age 56 of Park City, passed away suddenly Wednesday, May 26, 2004 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville.

Surviving are two children, John (Lori) Davis of Waukegan and Michelle Wright of Highwood; her dear friend and companion, Ken Roberts of Park City; her sister and niece, both of Lake Bluff. She is preceded in death by her parents, Preston and Eileen Davis.

Services were held at 1 p.m. May 30 at Burnett-Dane Funeral Home in Libertyville. Visitation was from 11 a.m., until the time of services on May 30. Interment was in Indian River, Mich.

Hilton N. Woolard

Age 71 of Lindenhurst, passed away after a brief illness on Tuesday, May 26, 2004 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. He was born the son of the late David and Ferbie Woolard. He was a retired chief gunners mate in the U.S. Navy. He retired from active in the Navy after 20 years of service. In 1962, he married Percy "Lou" Hardee.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Lou; his sons, Hank (Betsy) Woolard of Antioch, and Steve Woolard of Chicago; grandsons; his brothers; and a sister. He is preceded in death by a brother.

Funeral Service was held at 10 a.m., May 28 at Ringa Funeral Home in Lake Villa. Interment was at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Libertyville. Visitation was on May 27 from 4-8 p.m. and May 28 from 9-10 a.m. at the funeral home. Memorials would be appreciated to the United States Navy Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 96570, Washington, DC, 20077-7685.

Celvin M. Adamson

Age 82, passed away Friday, May 28, 2004 at his home in Gurnee after an extended illness. He was born in Jamaica, to the late Charles and Evelyn Matilda (nee Wallace) Adamson. Celvin was united in marriage to Susan Rosetta Hyman on Aug. 16, 1950 in Jamaica. He was a tailor by trade and became a civil service clerk in later years.

Celvin leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife, Susan of 53 years, who helped care for him; his loving children, Ruan (Daphne) Adamson of Connecticut, Marva (Andy) Farmer of England, Clyde 'Freddie' Adamson of England, Pauline (Roy) Robinson of Connecticut, Ian Adamson of Gurnee, and Valerie Adamson of England. He was blessed with 16 grandchildren and five great grandchildren, with another expected soon; and many cousins and special friends. He is preceded in death by his parents.

The funeral service is scheduled for 11 a.m., Friday, June 4 at Warren Funeral Home, 1475 N. Cemetery Rd., Gurnee (located inside the main entrance to Warren Cemetery, at the intersection of Tri-State Pky. and Cemetery Road). Reverend Fr. Farrell Kane of St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, will officiate. The entombment in the Warren Mausoleum "Chapel of Peace", 1495 N. Cemetery Rd., will immediately follow the service. Friends were invited to the funeral home for visitation on June 3 from 4-8 p.m. with the vigil service scheduled for 7 p.m., conducted by Bishop Keith Allen of Baltimore, MD, during the visitation.

Mary Joan 'JoAnn' Fitzgerald

Age 63, formerly of Raytown, Mo., passed away May 31, 2004 in Lee's Summit, Mo.

JoAnn is survived by her husband, Wayne S. Fitzgerald of Crossville, Tenn.; her mother, Mildred Behen of Lee's Summit, Mo; her children and their spouses, Vicki O'Brien (Daniel) of Lee's Summit, Mo., Vincent Francis (Cindi) of Redding, Calif., Shawn Fitzgerald (Heather) of Des Moines, Iowa, and Shannon Peyton (Matthew) of St. Charles; and her grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her father, C.F. Leininger; her stepfather, Francis Daniel Behen and her son, Christopher Michael Fitzgerald.

The Funeral Mass was at 10 a.m., June 2 at Our Lady of Presentation Catholic Church. Burial was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. No visitation was held. The family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society.

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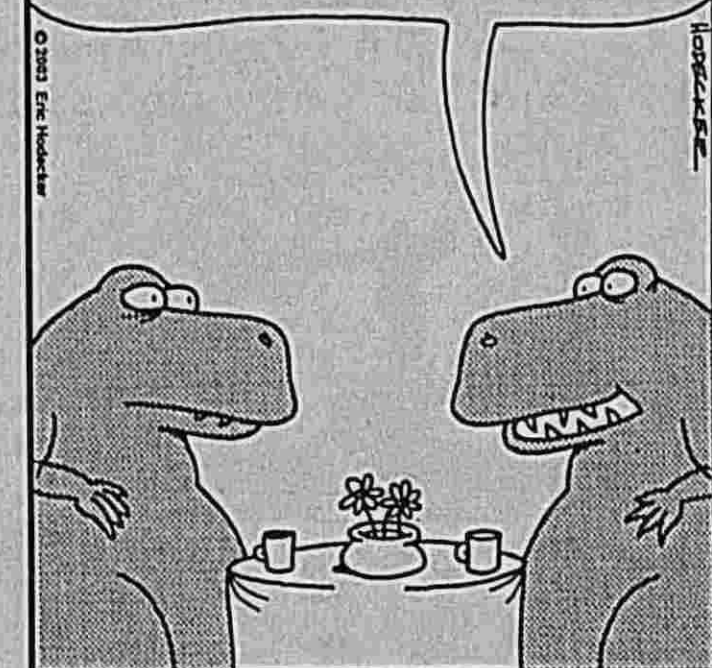
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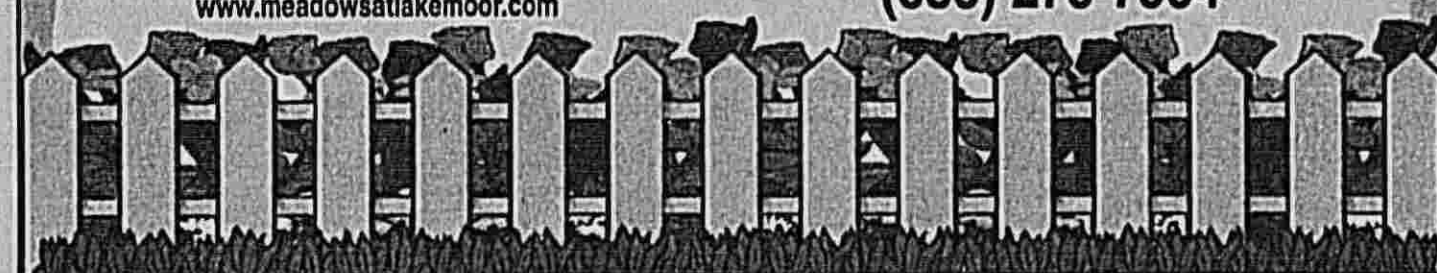
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WOMEN NEED A place for summer? Quiet, non-smoking, furnished room for rent on lake. \$475/mo incl'd's util. Call Terry (847) 254-1958.

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GRAYSLAKE OFFICE 795 SQ.FT. \$795/mo. CALL Chris (847) 548-3320 x 14.

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 On Main St. lrg storefront windows, w/lots of car & foot traffic. Perfect for sm. business of any kind. \$875/mo. (847) 356-6309.

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FARM FOR SALE 25 Acres IN WISCONSIN - Western Kenosha County. 7 miles north of Antioch, ILL. Immediately south of Bong Recreation area. Consists of large dairy barn, pole barn with heated workshop, 3 silos & 3 BDRM HOUSE. Buildings in good condition. Barn can be converted for horses. \$425,000. (262) 537-4847.

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HOLIDAY 1990 RAMBLER Imperial Motor Home - 33'
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KEYSTONE 2001 25FT. SPRINTER TRAILER, slide-out, bedroom, kitchen, living-room, lg. bathroom, been out 3 times, like brand new. \$15,500/best. Old bar room pool table, 78x48", good cond., \$300. (847) 395-7664 after 5pm.

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FORD 1988 TEMPO, 4-dr., white, fair condition, Fage off stereo/speaker box, \$1,000/best. Call (847) 445-4313, home (847) 377-1589.

FORD 1992 CROWN VICTORIA, \$1,500/best. (262) 862-7855.

FORD 1996 MUSTANG GT, bright red, black leather int. w/lumbar, 5-sp. manual, cass., CD, A/C, power locks, windows, mirrors, drivers seat, cruise, anti-theft, 58,000 mi., exc. cond., \$9,000/best. (847)487-0814 evas.

FORD CLUB WAGON 1992. Not pretty, but runs well \$1100/Firm. (847)587-3257.

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LEXUS SC 400, 1993, with winter wheels & tires, perfect condition., \$8,995/best. (630) 514-0930.

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FORD 1996 WINDSTAR GL, 7-pass., A/C, new tires, CD player, P/W, ABS, quad seats, exc. cond., gar. kept, 84,200 mi., \$3,900. (847)265-9167.

MUST SELL-MOVING OUT OF STATE 1997 Ford Windstar GL, good condition, no rust, front & rear A/C, privacy glass, roof rack, 1-owner, clean title, \$2,700/best. Call 8am-8pm, (847) 566-0124. Telemarketers, DO NOT call.

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ENCLOSED TRAILER 5X8, w/ramp, holds 5,000lbs., white, \$1,350. (847)276-6345.

FORD 1997 F-150 1-owner, well maintained, gar. kept, immaculate cond., 75,000 mi., \$7,900. (847)546-0957.

844 Motorcycles

HARLEY DAVIDSON 2000 Dyna Wide Glide, 5000ml., Black, mint cond., always garaged. Many chrome accessories. Owner asking \$16,500/obo. (847)245-3482.

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Residential and small business. Remodeling, additions, upgrades, lighting and outlets. Telephone and Cat 5 wiring. 50% off SBC rates. FREE Estimates. Fully Insured. Call Mike (847)546-8388.

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900 Legals

LEGAL NOTICE LEIN SALE
A-J SELF STORAGE
702 Sunset
Round Lake, IL 60073

Chuck Welder of Unit 45. All goods from this unit will be sold to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday, June 12, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. for the past due rent and other charges due. Removal of all items must be within 3 days of sale. A-J Self Storage reserves the right to withdraw any or all of the items prior to the sale. A-J Self Storage is not responsible for accidents or injury incurred as a result of the sale. (847)331-1778.

0528D-6603-RL
May 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Mouse Click Market
NATURE/PURPOSE: Sell items via the Internet

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 615 S. Fairfield Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847)356-2161.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Susan Lopera-Nielsen, 615 S. Fairfield Rd., Lake Villa, IL 60046, (847)356-2161.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Susan Lopera-Nielsen
May 13, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Roger W. Verne
Notary Public
Received: May 13, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6598-LV
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Burton Performance Consulting (BPC)
NATURE/PURPOSE: Business Consulting

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 2074-B Langley St., Great Lakes, IL 60088, (847)406-7079.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Daniel Vargas, 24730 Norelius Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073, (847)546-5642.

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/s/ Daniel Vargas
May 18, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
Received: May 18, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6598-RL
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Gray & Nasty?
NATURE/PURPOSE: Powerwashing/Deckwashing

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 38 N. Rt. 83, Grayslake, IL 60030, (847)922-4117, 34280 Lakeside Dr., Grayslake, IL 60030, (847)922-4117.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Don Megill, 4-D Hillview Dr., Lake Barrington, IL 60010, (847)304-9569.

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/s/ Brandon Burton
May 14, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
Received: May 14, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6594-GP
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

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NATURE/PURPOSE: Powerwashing/Deckwashing

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900 Legals

PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS
Stephen J. Shinnars, 34280 Lakeside Dr., Grayslake, IL 60030, (847)922-4117.

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/s/ Stephen J. Shinnars
May 9, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Patricia M. Brzezicki
Notary Public
Received: May 13, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6590-GL
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Meadow Communications
NATURE/PURPOSE: Technical Communication, web development & multimedia consulting

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 635 Meadow Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048, (847)367-1647.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Elizabeth Filippo, 635 Meadow Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048, (847)367-1647.

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/s/ Elizabeth Filippo
May 9, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ H. Randolph Williams
Notary Public
Received: May 13, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6592-LB
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: D & M Magic Cleaning
NATURE/PURPOSE: Carpet cleaning, upholstery cleaning, floor cleaning & refinishing

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 24730 Norelius Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073, (847)546-5642.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Daniel Vargas, 24730 Norelius Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073, (847)546-5642.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true and legal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Daniel Vargas
May 18, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
Received: May 18, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6598-RL
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Don's Deadwood
NATURE/PURPOSE: Make loft beds & other wood products

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 4-D Hillview Dr., Lake Barrington, IL 60010, (847)304-9569.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Don Megill, 4-D Hillview Dr., Lake Barrington, IL 60010, (847)304-9569.

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/s/ Don Megill
April 27, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
Received: May 14, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6594-GP
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Reed Media Services
NATURE/PURPOSE: Technical writing, technical event organization

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 507 Long Hill Road, Gurnee, IL 60031, (847)360-0612.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Katherine Woodward, 406 E. Prospect, Lake Bluff, IL 60046, (312)217-2548.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
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/s/ Katherine Woodward
May 24, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
Received: May 24, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0528D-6605-LB
May 28, 2004
June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Gregory Reed, 507 Long Hill Road, Gurnee, IL 60031, (847)360-0612.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
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/s/ Gregory Reed
May 18, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Eleanor A. Petruska
Notary Public
Received: May 20, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0528D-6602-GP
May 28, 2004
June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

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PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS
Stephen J. Shinnars, 34280 Lakeside Dr., Grayslake, IL 60030, (847)922-4117.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
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/s/ Stephen J. Shinnars
May 9, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Patricia M. Brzezicki
Notary Public
Received: May 13, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6590-GL
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: Meadow Communications
NATURE/PURPOSE: Technical Communication, web development & multimedia consulting

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 635 Meadow Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048, (847)367-1647.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Elizabeth Filippo, 635 Meadow Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048, (847)367-1647.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
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/s/ Elizabeth Filippo
May 9, 2004

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/s/ H. Randolph Williams
Notary Public
Received: May 13, 2004
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
0521C-6592-LB
May 21, 28, 2004
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS: D & M Magic Cleaning
NATURE/PURPOSE: Carpet cleaning, upholstery cleaning, floor cleaning & refinishing

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 24730 Norelius Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073, (847)546-5642.

NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Daniel Vargas, 24730 Norelius Ave., Round Lake, IL 60073, (847)546-5642.

STATE OF ILLINOIS) COUNTY OF LAKE)
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/s/ Daniel Vargas
May 18, 2004

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Christina J. Horn
Notary Public
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE INTENT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 33, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, TO SELL \$7,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION ALTERNATE BONDS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that School District Number 33, Lake County, Illinois (the "District"), will hold a public hearing on the 15th day of June, 2004, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. The hearing will be held in the Board Meeting Room in the Emmons Grade School, 24226 West Beach Grove Road, Antioch, Illinois. The purpose of the hearing will be to receive public comments on the proposal to sell bonds of the District in the amount of \$7,000,000 for the purpose of paying the cost of building and equipping additions to, improving the site of and altering equipping and repairing the Emmons Grade School.

By order of the President of the Board of Education of School District Number 33, Lake County, Illinois.

Dated the 28th day of May, 2004.

Lori Bruce
Secretary, Board of Education,
School District Number 33, Lake County,
Illinois

0604A6619-AN
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE

Round Lake C.U.S.D. will be accepting bids for *Air Duct Cleaning* for Ellis Elementary and Murphy Elementary Schools. Bid specifications are available from Walter J. Korpan, CFO, Round Lake School District #116, 316 S. Rosedale Court, Round Lake, IL 60073. All bids are due on or before **June 16, 2004 at 9:00 a.m.** and will be opened and tabulated at that time.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday, June 9, 2004 at 8:00 a.m.** at the *Murphy School entrance, 220 N. Greenwood, Round Lake Park, IL 60073.*

All bids submitted shall be valid for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of bid opening, after which all bidders will be informed regarding Board of Education decisions. The Board reserves the right to accept and/or reject any or all bids, and to waive any technicalities or irregularities in the bidding.

Bids shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes, clearly marked "*Air Duct Cleaning*" and mailed or delivered to: 316 S. Rosedale Court, Round Lake, IL 60073. No faxed bids will be allowed.

Walter J. Korpan
Chief Financial Officer

0604A-6617-RL
June 4, 2004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SOLID WASTE AGENCY OF LAKE COUNTY, IL PROPOSED 2004 UPDATE

LAKE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16, 2004
7:30 P.M.

SOLID WASTE AGENCY OF LAKE COUNTY
1311 N. ESTES STREET

GURNEE, IL 60031

The Solid Waste Agency of Lake County, Illinois (SWALCO) will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 16, 2004 at the Solid Waste Agency of Lake County, 1311 N. Estes Street, Gurnee, Illinois.

The purpose of this hearing will be to present the 2004 Update of the Lake County Solid Waste Management Plan. At the hearing, an overview of the Plan Update will be presented and questions regarding the amendment will be answered. Public comments (five minutes per individual; 10 minutes per group) will be accepted for inclusion with the Plan Update prior to its final approval.

A copy of the Plan Update can be obtained from the Agency's website (www.swalco.org) or by calling (847)336-9340. Written comment should be sent to SWALCO, 1311 N. Estes Street, Gurnee, IL 60031. The deadline for written comment is June 16, 2004.

For this meeting reasonable accommodation will be made for disabled persons. This includes accommodation for the vision and hearing impaired if a request is made within 48 hours of the meeting time.

0604A-6618-GP
June 4, 2004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FISH LAKE DRAIN WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PLAN PUBLIC COMMENT

Notice is hereby given that a 60-day public comment period has opened for public review of the Fish Lake Drain Watershed Management Plan. The Plan is available for viewing at the Fox Lake, Lakemoor, Round Lake, and Volo Village halls; the Fox Lake, Round Lake, and Wauconda public libraries; the Grant and Wauconda Township offices; and at the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission office, 333-B Peterson Rd., Libertyville, IL. The Fish Lake Drain Watershed Management Plan Executive Summary and the Full document can be viewed online at:

www.co.lake.il.us/smc/planning/fishlake

A public meeting on the Plan will be held on Wed., June 23, 2004 from 4-7 p.m. at the County of Lake Administration Building, 10th Floor, 18th N. County, Waukegan, IL. All interested persons will be given the opportunity to express their views on the proposed Fish Lake Drain Watershed Plan. Written comments may also be submitted and are encouraged. Written comments should be sent to Jason Oberfell, P.E., Lake County SMC, 333-B Peterson Rd., Libertyville, IL 60048. Comments can also be sent via email to j.oberfell@co.lake.il.us. Written comments should be provided prior to the close of the 60-day public comment period (July 6, 2004).

0604A-6620-FL
June 4, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
COUNTY OF LAKE } SS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY-IN PROBATE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF)
SELMA E. PALMER)

Deceased.

No. 04 P421

CLAIM NOTICE

Notice is given of the death of **SELMA E. PALMER** of Village of Wauconda, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on May 21, 2004, to **ROBERT G. PALMER**, 3115 W. Miller Road, McHenry, Illinois 60050, whose attorney is James W. Kaiser, Esq., 121 East Liberty Street, STE 3, Wauconda, Illinois 60084

Claims against the estate may be filed at the office of the Clerk of Court at 17 N. County Street, Waukegan, Illinois, or with the representative, or both, within six (6) months from the date of issuance of letters, and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten (10) days after has been filed.

Robert G. Palmer
Representative
James W. Kaiser
Attorney

0528D-6599-WL
May 28, 2004
June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

To: Christina Bender
425 Elaine Ter., McHenry, IL 60050

Your right to use space(s) 021 at Wauconda Self-Service Storage, 500 Rand Rd., Wauconda, IL 60084 has terminated and you no longer have access to the stored property. DEMAND FOR PAYMENT IS BEING MADE WITHIN 14 DAYS. The stored property is subject to a lien in the amount of \$391.00. This amount will continue to increase in accordance with the terms of your rental agreement until paid or the property is sold. They are itemized as follows: Date: 5/18/04, Rent: \$208.00, Inventory: \$60.00, Late Fee: \$12.00, Pub. Fee: \$111.00; Due Date: 5/18/04, Balance: \$391.00, TOTAL DUE: \$391.00

THIS SUM MUST BE PAID IN FULL BEFORE 6/1/04 OR THE PROPERTY WILL BE ADVERTISED FOR SALE AND SOLD. Any excess proceeds of the sale over the lien amount and costs of sale will be retained by the owner and may be reclaimed by you, or claimed by another person having a court order or other judicial process against the property, at any time for a period of 2 years from the sale and thereafter the proceeds will revert to Wauconda Self-Service Storage.

General description of Goods: Garbage bags w/garbage
Date and Location of Sale: 6/21/04 at 1:00 p.m. at Wauconda Self-Service Storage, P.O. Box 505, 500 Rand Road, Wauconda, IL 60084.

You may pay this sum and may contact the owner at:
847-528-5055

0604A-6614-WL
June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS:

KLB

NATURE/PURPOSE:

Recycling

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE

BUSINESS IS TO BE

CONDUCTED OR TRANS-

ACTED IN THIS COUNTY:

21437 W. Engle Dr., Lake Vil-

la, IL 60046, (847)265-3735.

P.O. Box 356 Lake Villa, IL

60046

NAME(S) AND POST

OFFICE OR RESIDENCE

ADDRESS(ES) OF THE

PERSON(S) OWNING,

CONDUCTING OR

TRANSACTING BUSINESS

Kathryn M. Larsen, P.O. Box

356, Lake Villa, IL 60046

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the un-

dersigned intend(s) to con-

duct the above named busi-

ness from the location(s) in-

dicated and that the true and

legal full name(s) of the

person(s) owning, conducting

or transacting the business

is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Kathryn M. Larsen

May 25, 2004

The foregoing instrument

was acknowledged before me

by the person(s) intending to

conduct the business this

25th day of May 2004.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ Christina J. Hom

Notary Public

Received: May 25, 2004

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

0528D-6607-LV

May 28, 2004

June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS:

Interior Expressions

NATURE/PURPOSE:

To provide interior design

services to clients

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE

BUSINESS IS TO BE

CONDUCTED OR TRANS-

ACTED IN THIS COUNTY:

1339 Lily Ct., Grayslake, IL

60030, (847)987-3630.

NAME(S) AND POST

OFFICE OR RESIDENCE

ADDRESS(ES) OF THE

PERSON(S) OWNING,

CONDUCTING OR

TRANSACTING BUSINESS

Stephanie Nickolson, 1339

Lily Ct., Grayslake, IL 60030,

(847)987-3630.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

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/s/ Stephanie Nickolson

May 25, 2004

The foregoing instrument

was acknowledged before me

by the person(s) intending to

conduct the business this

25th day of May 2004.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ Christina J. Hom

Notary Public

Received: May 25, 2004

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

0528D-6608-GL

May 28, 2004

June 4, 11, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS:

Klein Carpet Cleaning

NATURE/PURPOSE:

Cleaning carpets/flood resto-

ration

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE

BUSINESS IS TO BE

CONDUCTED OR TRANS-

ACTED IN THIS COUNTY:

22475 Rt. 173, Unit 105, Anti-

och, IL 60002, (847) 219-

9529, P.O. Box 4251, Anti-

och, IL 60002, (847) 219-

9529.

NAME(S) AND POST

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ADDRESS(ES) OF THE

PERSON(S) OWNING,

CONDUCTING OR

TRANSACTING BUSINESS

Craig Caron, 431 Filwaber

Cl., Antioch, IL 60002, (847)

219-9529.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

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or transacting the business

is/are correct as shown.

/s/ Craig Caron

May 26, 2004

The foregoing instrument

was acknowledged before me

by the person(s) intending to

conduct the business this

26th day of May 2004.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ Linda M. Paulson

Notary Public

Received: May 26, 2004

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

0604A-6609-AN

June 4, 11, 18, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS:

Hairaphemallia

NATURE/PURPOSE:

Salon-Spa

ADDRESS(ES) WHERE

BUSINESS IS TO BE

CONDUCTED OR TRANS-

ACTED IN THIS COUNTY:

311 Depot St., Antioch, IL

60002, (847)395-0192, 23505

112th St., Trevor, WI 53179,

(262) 862-9933.

NAME(S) AND POST

OFFICE OR RESIDENCE

ADDRESS(ES) OF THE

PERSON(S) OWNING,

CONDUCTING OR

TRANSACTING BUSINESS

Katherine Thompson-Mi-

chaels, 23505 112th St., Tre-

vor, Wisc. 53179, (262) 862-

9933

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

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gal full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
 /s/ Debra Poole
 /s/ Sandra Miller
 /s/ Patricia Clearwater
 May 26, 2004

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 26th day of May 2004.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ Rosa L. Elizondo

Notary Public

Received: June 1, 2004

Willard R. Helander

Lake County Clerk

0604A-6616-GL

June 4, 11, 18, 2004

PUBLIC NOTICE ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME application

NAME OF BUSINESS:
Kustom Carpentry
NATURE/PURPOSE:
Carpentry
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE
BUSINESS IS TO BE
CONDUCTED OR TRANS-
ACTED IN THIS COUNTY:
44 Forest Ave., Fox Lake, IL
60020, (847)973-8201.
NAME(S) AND POST
OFFICE OR RESIDENCE
ADDRESS(ES) OF THE
PERSON(S) OWNING,
CONDUCTING OR
TRANSACTIONING BUSINESS
Charles Schlicht, 44 Forest
Ave., Fox Lake, IL 60020,
(847)973-8201.

STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF LAKE)

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is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Charles Schlicht
May 19, 2004

The foregoing instrument
was acknowledged before me
by the person(s) intending to
conduct the business this
19th day of May 2004.

OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ Reyes Ramos

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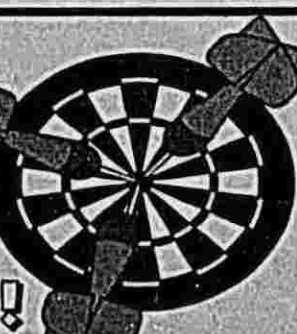
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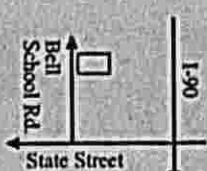
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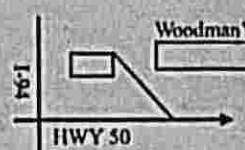
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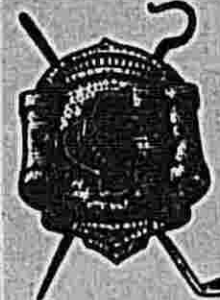
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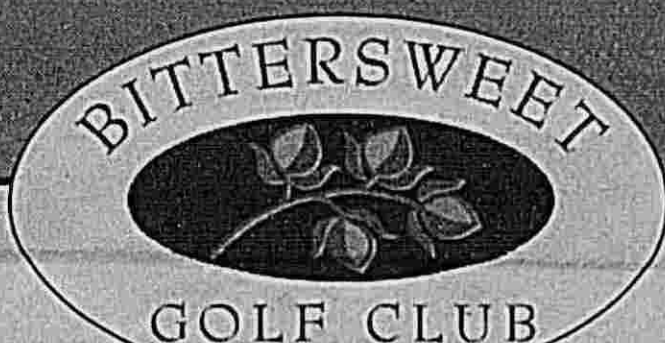
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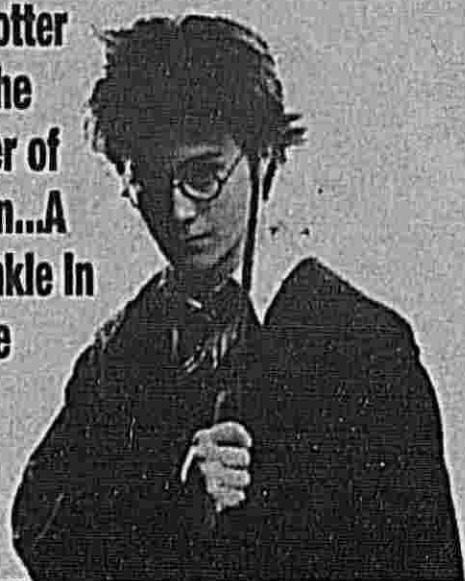
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Horsin' around

Lake County offers
an equestrian bounty
for horse lovers

Apparently people who live in Lake County know what Winston Churchill knew—there is something about the outside of a horse that is good for the inside of a man.

Economic slowdown hasn't dissuaded horse enthusiasts from participating in their beloved sports as is evidenced by full lists of lesson classes and expanding horse facilities. There are hundreds of local events published in the calendar section of "The Sentinel," produced out of the Libertyville Saddle Shop and touted as one of the top 20 in circulation of all of the American Horse Publication Members (and that includes nationally circulated publications).

"A slower economy actually helped my boarding and lesson program," said Beverly Collabella, who has owned Windance Acres and Long Grove Carriage Company for the past 6 years. "I've found that people aren't taking big vacations, and that instead of weekend getaways people are staying close to home. Owning a horse is something the whole family can come out and participate in together."

She said that when she bought the farm she expected it would take at least six months to build a lesson program, but within six weeks her program was full. The Lake Villa-based business offers lessons in English, western and dressage disciplines through Antioch, Lake Villa, Round Lake and Grayslake, in addition to offering lessons to those who have found the business through other means.

"The interest in horses in Lake County is huge," she said. "All of the parks districts and departments that I talked to were anxious to jump on board."

Anita Schadeck, owner and manager of Fields and Fences in Gurnee found the same thing to be true. Since 1995, when she bought the establishment from the developers of the Hunt Club Farms Equestrian Community, she has expanded the facility three times.

Her new indoor arena, scheduled for completion in August, will be 100 by 300 feet. When the lat-

est renovation is finished, the facility will offer 121 boarder stalls, 70 stalls for those traveling in for monthly horse shows, two heated indoor arenas, four outdoor riding arenas with all-weather footing and 12 miles of private, maintained bridle trails that run through Hunt Club Farms' 600 acres.

"Nine years ago when we bought this facility, everybody said 'Gurnee is so far...'. Now we're right in the middle of everything," Schadeck said.

She said demand has dictated her growth. Professional planners in the county recognize the desirability of horses and are working to not only accommodate, but also promote equestrian pursuits.

George Sakas, senior planner for the Village of Antioch, said he has affectionately adopted the name the "horse country plan" for the Northwest Illinois Route 173 Corridor Joint Local Land Resources Management Plan (JLLRM), in part, because the goals include encouraging agricultural and equestrian uses.

One section

of the plan's text reads: "Desirable non-residential uses within JLLRM planning area include all types of parks and open space. Equestrian-oriented uses are specifically encouraged..."

Despite that, Sue Herbes, manager of the Libertyville Saddle Shop and keeper of county horse knowledge from trainers to veterinarians and blacksmiths to hay suppliers, said it's important to keep the vigil especially where public lands and horse

rights are concerned.

"There is so much interest in the area, and yet there is so much more that could be done," she said. "We could use more in the way of public riding stables, and there isn't an indoor arena (public) where things like horse shows or horse fairs could come. The Northern Illinois Horse Fair is probably the closest, but that's Boone County. We could really do something special here."

Herbes said she knows that from experience as the shop, that opened in 1960, used to host some of the area's largest Quarter Horse and Appaloosa shows. For 20 years, prior to the store expanding to its current 30,000 square feet, it held successful events and that was without being able to provide indoor riding facilities.

"We could have a great horse park here like they have in Cook and DuPage counties," she said. "Lake County (Forest Preserves) already owns great property that would be very suitable like Raven Glen in the Antioch area. I know of several people who would be willing to put up a building, with some conditions. The point is, this could easily happen."

Herbes said that while she has seen an increase in larger boarding facilities, she has seen no decline in the number of backyard horse owners.

"The horse industry in this area just keeps growing," she said. "There are as many backyard owners as ever, they just aren't on the main thoroughfares. I've definitely seen an increase in the larger boarding facilities that also offer lessons and summer camps so there are plenty of opportunities for horseless horse lovers. I don't see anything but growth for the future."



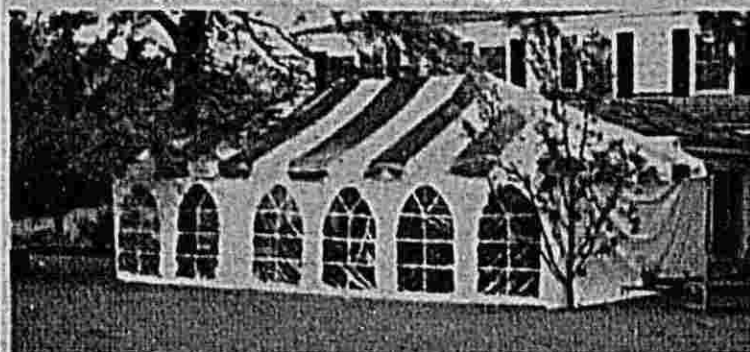
Colleen Boyle, 15, practices jumping with her horse, Red Rock, during a training session at Fields and Fences in Wadsworth. — Photo by Sandy Bressner

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About the Lake County Forest Preserves

The Lake County Forest Preserves manages 24,955 acres of land and offers innovative educational, recreational and cultural opportunities for all ages. Visitors enjoy nearly 112 miles of trail for a variety of outdoor recreation uses, fishing ponds and lakes, public access to the Fox River, award-winning nature and history education programs and events, and four public golf courses. Facilities of special interest include Independence Grove near Libertyville, Ryerson Conservation Area near Deerfield, Lake County Discovery Museum near Wauconda, Greenbelt Cultural Center near Waukegan and Thunderhawk Golf Club near Beach Park.

Swimming beach open at Independence Grove

Dive into summer fun at the Independence Grove Forest Preserve swimming beach near Libertyville. The beach is now open and will remain open weekends only through Sunday, June 13. Daily operation begins Monday, June 14. Beach hours are 11 a.m.-6 p.m., weekdays, and 10 a.m.-6 p.m., weekends and holidays. Lifeguards are on duty during posted hours.

Located along the South Bay of the Preserve's 115-acre lake, the large swimming beach area features a sand volleyball court, and a beach house with washrooms, showers and lockers and a walk-up café, located at the adjacent Independence Grove Visitors Center.

Beach-goers can travel light and rent what they need, including beach chairs and shade umbrellas. The nature store in the Visitors Center sells beach sundries, lotions and gifts for the home and garden. On weekdays, Monday-Thursday, groups of 15 or more can purchase a beach package in advance.

For details or to reserve a beach package for your group, call 847-968-3499.

Daily beach admission is \$3 per person with free parking for Lake County residents and \$6 per person for non-residents. Children under age two are free.

Visitors can soak up the sun all summer long by purchasing a 20-visit Beach Admission Card that offers a 20 percent savings. Admission cards are \$43 for Lake County residents and \$96 for non-residents. They can be purchased at the Independence Grove beach house and the Visitors Center. Inflatable items are not permitted at the swimming beach.

More water fun is just across the bay at the Preserve's Marina. Families can rent a canoe, kayak, fishing boat or hydro bike. Fish from shore or from the wheelchair accessible fishing pier.

The Marina is now open weekends only from 6:30 a.m. to one hour before sunset. Daily operation begins on Memorial Day. Fishing licenses, bait, tackle, snacks and beverages are available. Rentals require a driver's license, \$20 deposit, or credit card. Outside watercraft are not permitted on the lake.

Located on Buckley Road (Route 137) just east of Milwaukee Avenue (Route 21) in Libertyville is the 1,100-acre Independence Grove Forest Preserve. The Preserve is open daily from 6:30 a.m. to sunset. Parking is free for Lake County residents. There is a parking fee for non-residents of \$5 per car Monday-Thursday and \$10 per car Friday-Sunday and holidays.

For additional summer fun, Independence Grove's free Summer Concert Series debuts Tuesday, June 15 in the Millennia Plaza.

For more information about Independence Grove, group beach packages or the Summer Concert Series schedule contact the Preserve office at 847-968-3499.

For Visitors Center and North Pavilion facility rentals, contact Events at Independence Grove at 847-247-1111.

Learn more about

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Deepen your understanding of the natural world through Field Ecology Wednesdays, a series of field ecology and nature study classes led by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Outdoor field study follows indoor activities.

Teachers attending Field Ecology Wednesdays are eligible to earn CPDUs for all three sessions offered.

Field Ecology Wednesdays are open to adults only. Cost is \$21 (\$15 for Lake County residents) per person. Class will be held at Independence Grove Forest Preserve on Route 137 east of Route 21 near Libertyville. To register, call 847-968-3321.



Volo Bog

To obtain a volunteer application, set up an interview, or for further information on getting involved with Volo Bog, please contact Volo Bog State Natural Area at 815-344-1294. Volo Bog State Natural Area is an Illinois Department of Natural Resources site located in Ingleside, Illinois west off Highway 12 between State Routes 120 and 134.

About the Volo Bog State Natural Area

The current landscape of the northeast corner of Illinois was shaped principally by glacial activity thousands of years ago. As the climate continued to warm, the ice blocks melted, forming depressions which developed into lakes, bogs and marshes. Volo Bog was originally a deep 50-acre lake, with steep banks and poor drainage. Research on pollen grains preserved in the bog indicates that the lake began filling with vegetation approximately 6,000 years ago. A floating mat, consisting primarily of sphagnum moss formed around the outside edges among the cattails and sedges. Volo Bog is significant in that it exhibits all stages of bog succession.

Each season brings its own beauty and wonder to Volo Bog and seasonal visits allow for observation of a wide variety of plant and animal life. In the spring, fern fiddleheads reveal their beautiful fronds. Bog buckbean and leatherleaf bloom in abundance. A great variety of songbirds, waterfowl and wading birds stop by as they migrate north to their summer nesting areas.

Bird walks

Saturday, June 5—8 a.m.

Join volunteer naturalist Randy Schietzelt or Joel Orlinsky to search for early arrivals and migrants including grebe, ducks, sandhill cranes, coots, killdeer, woodcock, bluebirds, red-winged blackbirds and meadowlarks. Ideal for both novice and veteran birders, the walks last up to three hours and cover a variety of habitats. Volo Bog has binoculars and bird books available on loan to those attending. The walks are open to adults and attentive children ages 7 and up. Reservations are required; phone 815-344-1294. Ameritech Relay # 1-800-526-0844.

Wetland botany

Sunday, June 6—9:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Spring comes slowly to the wetlands. The workshop, lead by Naturalist Stacy Iwanicki, includes both a classroom and field session so participants should dress accordingly. Geared to adults but interested youth age 12 & up are encouraged to attend. Reservations are required; phone 815-344-1294. Ameritech Relay # 1-800-526-0844.

'Pig Roast Dinner & Dance'

The Special Recreation Association of Central Lake County (SRALC), an agency that provides recreation opportunities for people with disabilities and special needs is hosting a Pig Roast Dinner & Dance on Saturday, June 5.

The 2nd Annual event will take place at the Sullivan Community Center, 635 N. Aspen Drive, Vernon Hills from 5-9 p.m. (Supper will be served from 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.).

The all-you-can-eat supper will feature barbecued pork, chicken, salads, brownies along with complimentary soda and coffee. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. Dancing to live music by the Blues Monkeys will start at 7 p.m.

All proceeds will go toward the award-winning Counselors In Training program. This is a work-training program for teens with disabilities and has won both the 2004 Illinois Park and Recreation Outstanding Program of the Year Award and the 2004 Attorney General's Best Practices Award. The cost is \$20 for adults (\$25 at door) and kids 10 and under eat free.

For more information or to purchase tickets please contact John Buckner at 847-816-4866.

Boat captains needed for Fishing Classic

The NISRA (Northern Illinois Special Recreation Association) is looking for boat captains for the 11th Annual Spring Fishing Classic being held Saturday, June 5 on Bangs Lake in Wauconda. Captains host people with disabilities for a morning fishing tournament on their boat. The event includes three hours of fishing, bbq lunch, awards and prizes. Captains with boats of any size are welcome. Call Dana at 815-459-0737 for information.

A highlight of the festivities this year will be the christening of a new wheelchair accessible boat at the Arthur G. Farley Accessible Pier on Bangs Lake. The boat will be available for rental by people with disabilities and volunteer guides in the weeks ahead. Thanks to the dedication and generosity of many individuals, service clubs, businesses and organizations, the opportunities for enjoying the popular sport of fishing have been greatly expanded.

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But after taking the car in for repairs and borrowing my brother's stick-shift pickup truck, I was reminded of my great idea on how to improve the Lake County traffic flow and make the highways safer at the same time.

And my idea is to pass a law that everybody has to drive a stick-shift.

Think about it.

According to one article I read, driving while talking on a cell phone is as dangerous as driving under the influence of alcohol.

But if everyone had to drive a stick shift on these congested Lake County roads, he or she would be too busy working the clutch and shifting gears to be able to talk on the cell phone. (Just think of all the lives that may be saved.)

And while we are talking about drinking and driving, I know for a fact that it's nearly impossible to hold a drink in your hand and shift gears at the same time. Try it. You'll spill your drink all over your lap. I bet there would be a lot less drinking and driving arrests if everyone had to drive a stick shift.

Furthermore, women, who are some of the worst drivers anyhow, will not be able to put on make-up while driving if they are having to keep one hand on the stick shift. This alone will probably prevent numerous accidents.

Personally, I could never understand why the ladies put on make-up while driving anyway. It's like my deceased friend Bones MaGrony used to say, "If a woman is not pretty when she gets into a car, it's highly unlikely that she will be pretty when she gets out."

Finally, the number one reason I would like to see a law requiring everyone to drive a stick shift is because most people don't know how to.

The law would immediately eliminate half of the drivers from these Lake County roads, making commuting a whole lot easier for the rest of us.

And the truth is—if we get rid of half of the traffic—there will be no reason for the Lake County Board to try and pass another transportation tax referendum.

And if that's not a good enough reason for you—I don't know what is.

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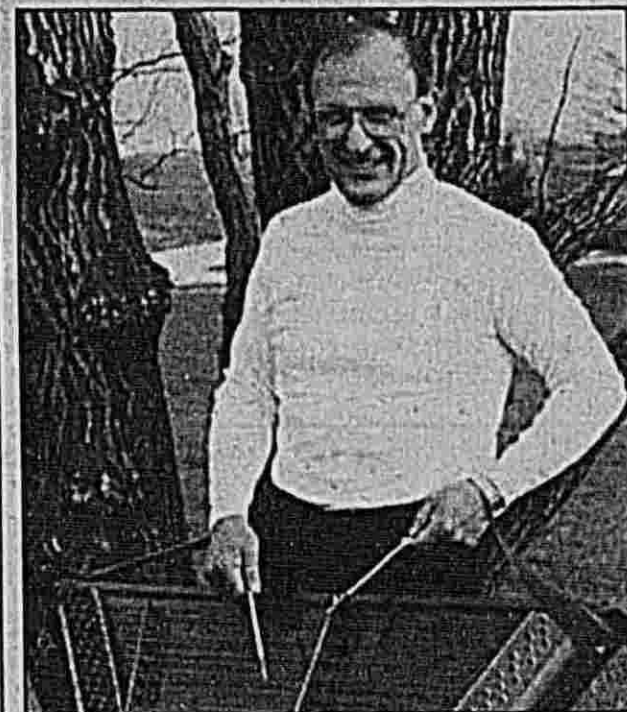


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Every year Off Square Music sponsors a Mini Folk Festival. It is an opportunity for us to bring to our stage three regional folk artists in one evening, all of exceptional quality, with their own unique sound, style and instruments. This year our line up includes Pete Jonsson, Patchouli and Bill Robinson.

Pete Jonsson, is an accomplished guitarist who performs old favorites and witty and creative originals. He will take you from standards such as "Ain't She Sweet," to slide guitar pieces, then on to emotion-packed ballads. Pete has a laid-back performing style and a mellow singing voice that ties his songs together perfectly. He is a favorite at OSM.

Patchouli is the acoustic duo of Julie Patchouli and Bruce Hecksel, who started the group in 1998. Julie, an accomplished multi-instrumentalist, alternates between guitar, string bass, marimbas and flute. She has a beautiful voice and is often compared to Joni Mitchell. Bruce plays guitar and bass and is

well known for his acoustic leads and instrumental compositions. Patchouli has logged thousands of miles, played hundreds of shows, made TV appearances and has been featured on world and folk radio programs across the country. www.patchouli.net

Bill Robinson is a master hammered dulcimer player. He started playing at a young age and learned techniques of playing dulcimer from his father. Bill was encouraged to learn more on his own, which he has done so well. His playing is not only fast and adept, his performance is amazing to watch and his compositions exciting. Bill even builds hammered dulcimers.

The Mini Folk Festival will take place at the Congregational Unitarian Church, 221 Dean St., Woodstock, Ill., on June 12, at 8 p.m.

Admission \$10; doors open at 7:30 p.m.

For Reservations/information, contact Keith at 815 338-5164 or email at blueloom@sbcglobal.net.

Will work for food

I can't be the only stay-at-home mom who'd jump at the opportunity to spend a day in the "civilized" world. So I'm lobbying for a new holiday—"Take A Mom To Work Day"—and a chance to try on someone else's shoes, especially if I don't have to tie their shoelaces.

My "bud" Alice, a single mom, offers a nice mix of work experience, what with her three jobs bartending, dog training and reminding me I forgot my workout weights again. But, weights or no, she thinks adding my ample ballast to her motorcycle commute would slow her down too much.

So I persuaded another friend, Julie Scudder Dearyan, to make me her apprentice for one workday, even though I could imagine her parents, Pastor Scudder and wife, mysteriously weeping from their Quentin Road Bible Baptist Church billboard on Rand Road in Lake Zurich.

Not only does this mom of two help her dad with his writing, she edits and writes "Victory in Grace," the church's monthly magazine to listeners and viewers of Pastor Scudder's radio and TV broadcasts, and is an author in her own right.

Anyway, since Julie is the church's writer in residence, along with associates Dan Darling and Kristen Tannev, I knew I'd learn a lot spending the day at their 40 acres of church grounds, school and bible college.

Plus I figured there was a good chance I'd get a free meal in their dining room.

All I can say is, for a preacher's daughter, Julie is one tough cookie. After a quick tour of her office, including an adjoining "heaven's door" to the church kitchen, she expected me to contribute ideas during a magazine-planning meeting. This was awful hard perched on a low footstool like "Little Miss Muffet," with the circulation to my "tuffet" cut off enough to turn my brain into "curds and whey."

At least once everyone else in the room figured this out, I was free to puzzle on how Julie could pull all this off while raising two kids. Maybe the secret was stacked on her bookshelves. Was it "Th* Mom Factor," "Totally Saved," or the "Farmhouse Cookbook" that gave her the edge? And why bother leafing through a cookbook when you can chow down in style right next door?

Julie says the secret rests in everyone "all being in it together." Her entire family works or goes to school on the church grounds. And they all have a purpose that seems to turn the most ordinary people into amazing dynamos.

And I dare anyone else out there to take this mom to work for a day. Just remember—I prefer not to pack a lunch.

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Antioch Fine Arts Foundation will host the works of member *Artist Dennis M. Downes*

for the month of June with an Artist's Reception Friday, June 11th 5 pm - 9 pm
Gallery location 983 Main Street, Antioch IL 847-838-2274

This year marks the anniversary of Artist, Dennis M. Downes 100th solo and juried show, as well as numerous fundraisers. The 53 year old Artist has resided in the Antioch area for the past 25 years and his family ties to the Chain of Lakes go back to the 1930s.

Mr. Downes is a member of the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation, the Lake Forest Deerpath Art League, and a supporter of the Arts in Northbrook. His works have been included in shows sponsored by the Chicago Art Institute and many other well known organizations.

The internationally known Artist is well known for his research pieces on ancient peoples and Native Americans as well as his landscape paintings. This includes a wide variety of landscapes from The Orkney Islands in Scotland to British Columbia. Influenced by his mother's people from the mountains of Northern Idaho and Washington, this started his love affair with the great outdoors which has continued to inspire his work.

An additional part of Mr. Downes' artwork involves the making of frames for all his originals. This can be as simple as carving the corners of a frame to the inlaying of over a thousand handpicked and matched porcupine quills.

One of his ancient studies culminated in the recent installation of his 16 foot Trail Marker Tree sculpture at the Lake County Museum (photo bottom right). He recently took the time to give lectures on the Indian Trail Marker Trees and his artwork to art students of the Lake and Cook County area.

Mr. Downes' paintings and frames have won numerous awards. The originals range in price from \$2,500 to \$8,500 with prints also available of some of his most famous works. His bronze sculpture projects have sold for up to \$55,000. He and his work have appeared on live television interviews in Vail, Aspen, Denver and Chicago. As a result of his work he feels honored to have had the opportunity to meet numerous celebrities, singers, authors and sports figures.

"I am happy to be part of Antioch's Fine Art Foundation and am looking forward to a show in my own hometown. I would like to thank all the volunteers and staff members that have helped to make this a successful organization, and I hope to continue to participate in their success!" - Dennis M. Downes



PHOTO BY GREG PROCHNOW

"The Grove Show" held in March 2004 at The Redfield House on the grounds of The Grove, a national historic landmark set on 123 acres in Glenview, IL. Artist Dennis M. Downes and niece, Heather Downes, next to a recent painting of Sedona.

Carol Di Lorenzo, Redfield Coordinator and Director Stephan Swanson, "It has been a pleasure to have your unique work exhibited here for the 4th consecutive year. Congratulations! Each year your show becomes more successful with sales of many original pieces as well as several prints. Thank you for your generous donation to The Grove of a portion of the proceeds and for your bronze statue of the Native American Trail Marker Tree, it will be a wonderful teaching tool for the Children's Center." Mr. Downes has a unique connection to The Grove as he was painting and living there as one of the last residents to occupy The Grove before it was turned into a national historic landmark.

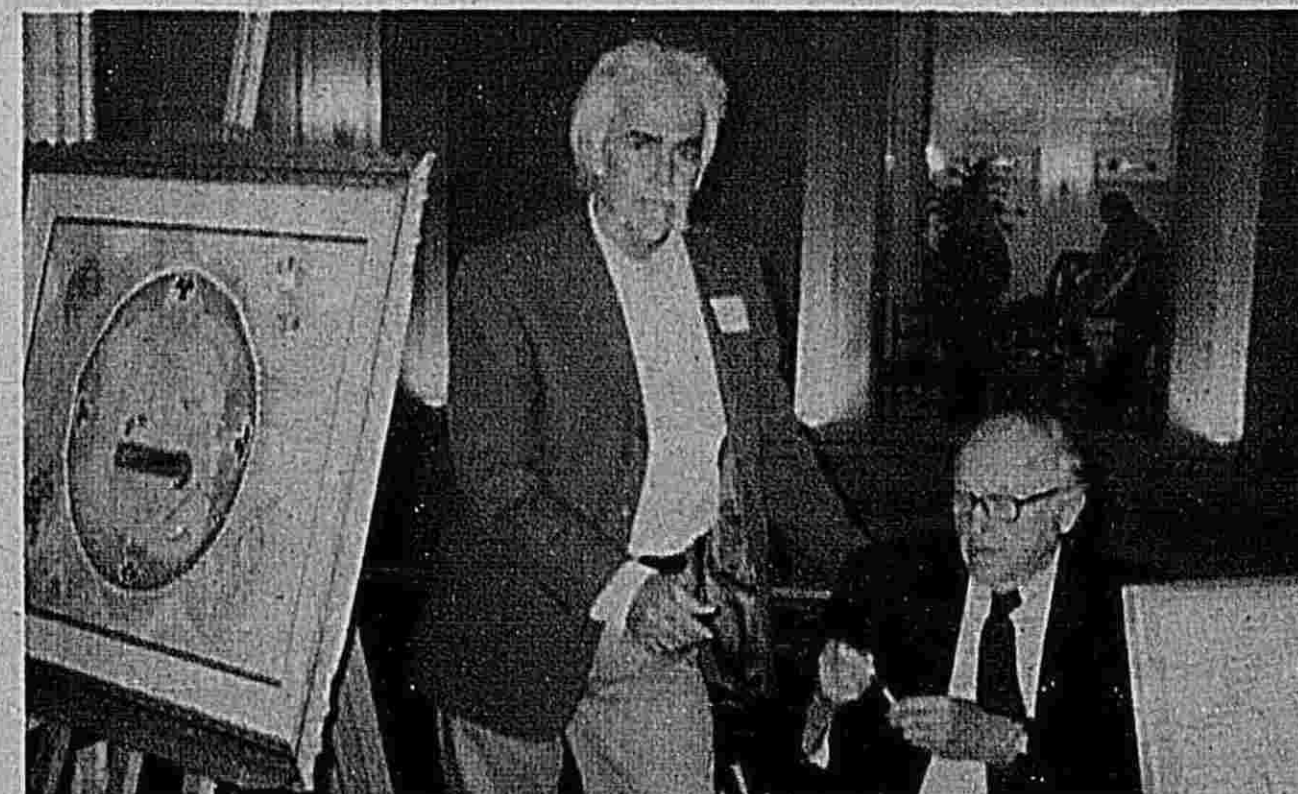


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Artist Dennis M. Downes and famous internationally known Artist Franklin McMann, at a fundraiser for women in need at Chicago's Conrad Hilton Grand Ballroom. One of Mr. Downes' originals was purchased by author Joan Pomprowitz Schaupp which helped raise several thousand dollars for the event. These two artists have participated in several fund raisers together over the past 10 years.



PHOTO BY GAIL SPREEN

Lake County Discovery Museum hosted the 4th Solo Show by Artist Dennis M. Downes in the past 10 years. Artist's reception was attended by nearly 300 guests comprised of art collectors, art directors and the general public. People came from as far away as Oregon, Florida and Upper Wisconsin to be part of the event. Three originals sold with a large portion of the proceeds going towards benefiting the Lake County Forest Preserve. Over 30 original paintings and several tapestries were on display for 60 days to the public. Dennis would like to thank the Lake County Museum for hosting the event.

A few recent events in the Artist's life:

- Las Vegas - Author James Pomerantz requested Mr. Downes' artwork to be the backdrop for his recent book signing of "Spitting Image of My Father", a bull riding related novel, that was held at the National Bull Riders Championship in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mr. Downes had the opportunity to meet Ty Murray, a seven time world champion all-around cowboy, as well as attend the final championship as the guest of Mr. Pomerantz.
- Catholic Charities Benefit - Hosted by Exmoor Country Club. Former Chicago Bear & Fox TV Sports Broadcaster, Tom Waddell auctioned the live art auction where the original painting Mr. Downes donated raised several thousand dollars. The black-tie event was attended by over 400 guests and was highly successful. A special thanks to the Women's Board of Catholic Charities.
- Denver, CO - 7th Annual Friends of Air Life Fundraiser - Mr. Downes has participated for the past 6 years by donating and attending the event to raise funds for emergency medical services. Through the years he has appeared on Denver's local television station as part of the promotion for the Air Life event. Mr. Downes would like to thank James Ulrich, Chief of emergency medical services and President of Air Life.
- AVON's Walk for Breast Cancer - The goal of this event was to raise funds to sponsor Jeanne Dan and Beth Mater in the AVON breast cancer walk. Peter Quinn, former lead singer of Jump in the Saddle Band and currently with Skip Town and the Greyhounds, organized the event and performed with Harry Reinhart for the entire evening. Mr. Downes donated one of his pieces in a handmade frame for the fundraiser. The event, held at Firkin's in Libertyville, was a great success.
- Documentary - The Northbrook Arts Council chose the creation of the 16 foot Indian Trail Marker Tree sculpture and Mr. Downes' paintings to be the focus of a half-hour documentary which aired during the year on local cable television throughout the North Shore.
- Soldier Field - Catholic Charities Gala Event - Juried show/benefit upcoming in September with over 50 artists participating. Live auction, formal dinner, Joan Cusack will MC the event, all funds raised are to benefit emergency services for the needy.

The realistic 16 foot Indian Trail Marker Tree sculpture, based on actual trees that existed in the Great Lakes area, was unveiled on April 4th at the Lake County Museum. The tree will be on display through the summer.

Museum Director Katherine Hamilton Smith, "Dennis, I saw the Trail Tree sculpture again yesterday. It is fabulous and amazing. It is so stunning!"

Photo right: Katherine Hamilton Smith accepting a 9" bronze statue of the Trail Marker Tree that was donated by Dennis M. Downes. This statue will become a permanent part of the Native American section of the Museum.

Mr. Downes has studied the ancient trail marker trees for the past several decades and has traveled to over 18 states meeting with historians, archeologists, & ethnologists to confirm and research existing and pre-existing trail marker trees.

A special thanks to Brian & Nadean Buchholz for assisting in the moving, installation and landscaping of the Trail Marker Tree statue.

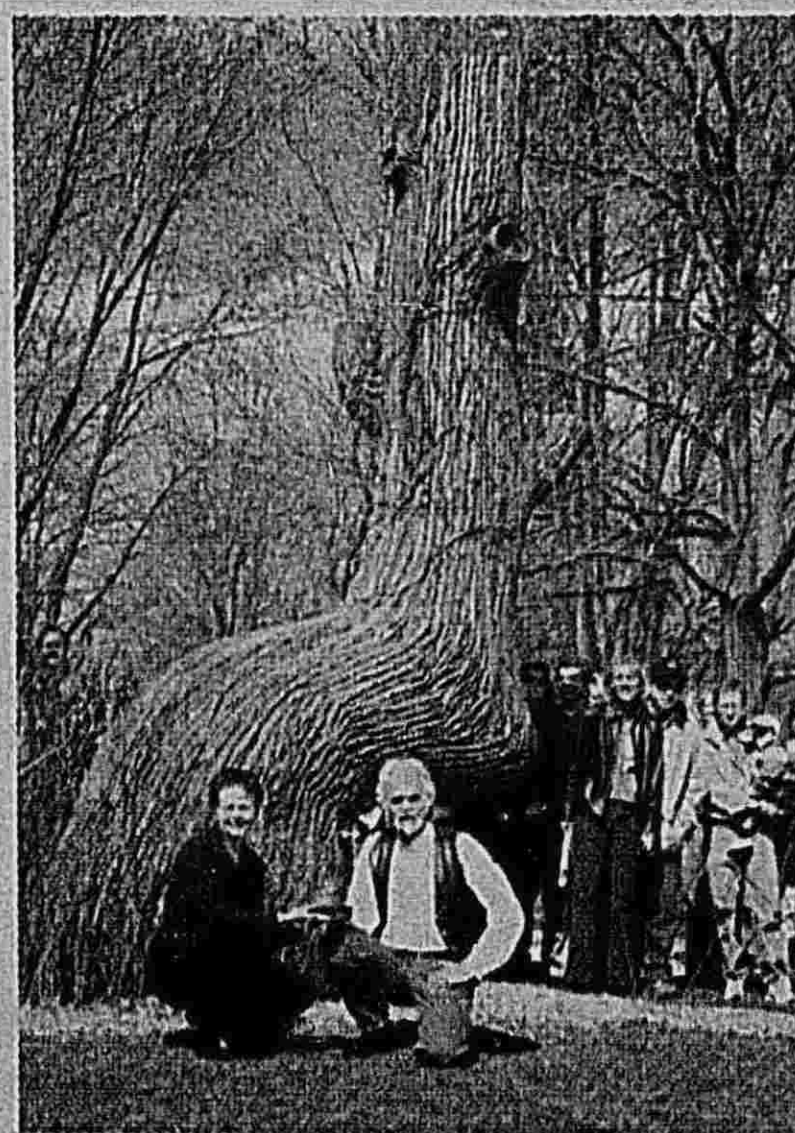


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Trail marker trees were used by Native Americans to guide them across great distances, to help them cross rivers at strategic points and to locate fresh water springs as well as to designate camp site and hunting grounds.

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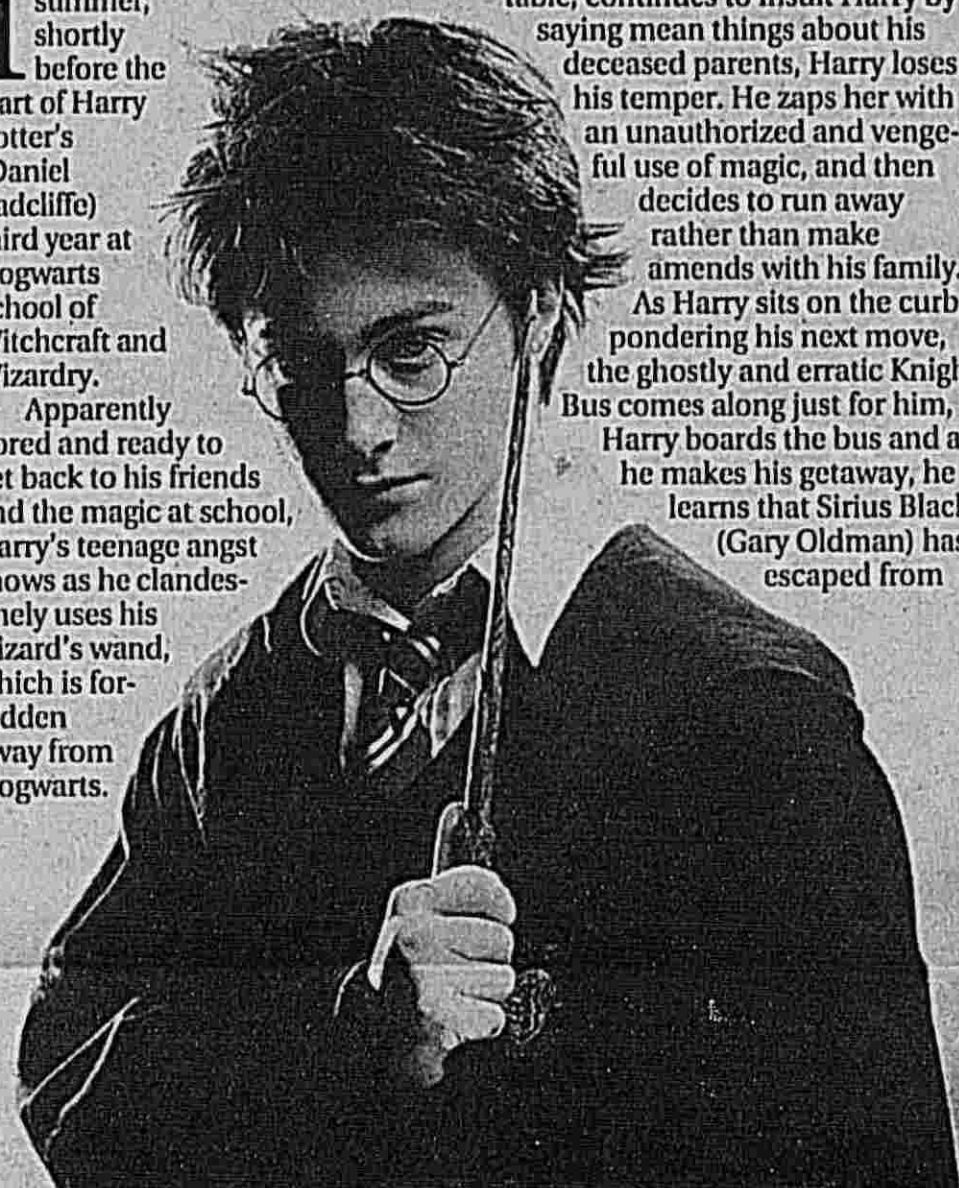
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 - 1 - Someone should be fired for making this movie

Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban

It's late summer, shortly before the start of Harry Potter's (Daniel Radcliffe) third year at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Apparently bored and ready to get back to his friends and the magic at school, Harry's teenage angst shows as he clandestinely uses his wizard's wand, which is forbidden away from Hogwarts.



Fear and loathing, and a bit of family obligation, keep Harry Potter in the confines of the home he lives in with his Uncle Vernon Dursley, Aunt Petunia and bratty cousin Dudley. The Dursleys fear Harry, he loathes them and the feeling is mutual. But when Aunt Marge (Pam Ferris), a guest at the dinner table, continues to insult Harry by saying mean things about his deceased parents, Harry loses his temper. He zaps her with an unauthorized and vengeful use of magic, and then decides to run away rather than make amends with his family. As Harry sits on the curb, pondering his next move, the ghostly and erratic Knight Bus comes along just for him. Harry boards the bus and as he makes his getaway, he learns that Sirius Black (Gary Oldman) has escaped from

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the inescapable Azkaban prison. Sirius is looking for Harry, reportedly to kill him and complete the task of eliminating his family, the crime for which he was incarcerated—murdering Harry's parents.

The lighter moments in the film come from Harry's relationship with best friends Ron (Rupert Grint), and the "truly remarkable for one so young" and smart, Hermione (Emma Watson). Steven Spielberg, who was the initial choice as director for the first Harry Potter film said, "That first story didn't touch me creatively. Now, the third Harry Potter book...it's pure genius! Much darker, more esoteric and interesting to me personally...if they'd offered me that, I'd have said yes...."

Harry shares the darker moments on-screen with Sirius Black, uncovering some family secrets, and with the new Defense Against the Dark Arts professor (David Thewlis), who has more than a nodding acquaintance with things that go bump in the night.

Special effects here go to the dark side, with more than showy CGI and acrobatic non-stop action. There's plenty of action in "Prisoner of Azkaban" but beneath is a strong story with many twists and turns, about relationships and understanding that things are often not what they appear to be. And there's the first brush with those hormones that kick in at about age 13.

Ominous Dementors, those shadowy hooded creatures, roam the grounds of Hogwarts as guards. The problem is they have trouble distinguishing those who aim to harm Harry from Harry himself. Under the right cir-

cumstances, the Dementors could unknowingly kill Harry rather than Sirius.

Mythical creatures are shape shifters, werewolves and other ethereal anima. Our favorite creature is a magical half-horse, half-eagle (and all attitude) called a "Hippogriff," that is large enough for a human to ride. When Hermione speaks the words "Time Turner," we see a very creative series of events involving time travel. More than one life hinges on being able to turn time.

This is definitely a hard PG movie...that is it could easily have been PG-13. Be careful with younger kids as it may really frighten them. Obviously a child who has read the book should be able to handle it. Timothy Spall alone is enough to send a chill up your spine. And then there's that monster with the big teeth under the bed.

Pam's Take: I appreciated Harry's discovery of his own strength and talent. It reinforces the truth that you have the ability to save yourself. The menacing plot of this story makes me like it less than George does. But I realize that if kids started reading the books and seeing the movies at about age 9, this is where they'd be in their development...those difficult, confusing young teen years.

George's Take: Often when I would chuckle, many in the audience laughed out loud. That's probably because this story is aimed at children (unlike "Shrek 2", which has more of a dual message, one to adults and the other to children). I found the Time Turner scenes truly fascinating.

Perseverance, using your smarts, hard work and a positive attitude are all important here. The quote in the film that sums that up best for us is, "The ones that we love never leave us." This is a heartwarming film in a bone chilling way.



Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban

Review by
Pam & George O. Singleton
at info@reelmoviecritic.com

Cast

- Daniel Radcliffe** —Harry Potter
Emma Watson —Hermione Granger
Rupert Grint —Ron Weasley
Gary Oldman —Sirius Black
David Thewlis —Defense Against the Dark Arts Professor
Timothy Spall —Peter Pettigrew

Directed by Alfonso Cuarón. Third book in the "Harry Potter" series by J.K. Rowling. Rated PG for frightening moments, creature violence and mild language. Running time 136 minutes.

NEW RELEASES

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(a thrilling opening scene) and find themselves connected to brash teenager Yvan (Gaspard Ulliel), who's street smart and lonely enough to fall in love with Odile. One week only at Landmark Century at Clark and Diversey. (Not Rated)

Strayed: The heroic story of a young widowed mother and schoolteacher, Odile (Emmanuelle Beart), who protects her two children during wartime in 1930s France. Fleeing the German occupation of Paris, the family comes under attack

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- Kill Bill: Volume 2 (R) 5
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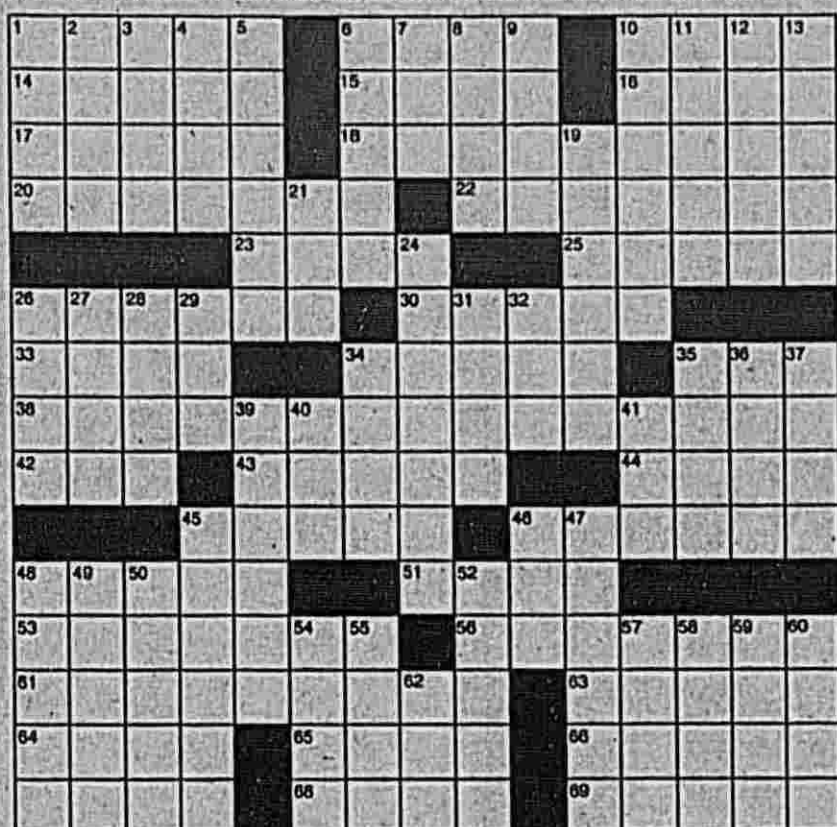
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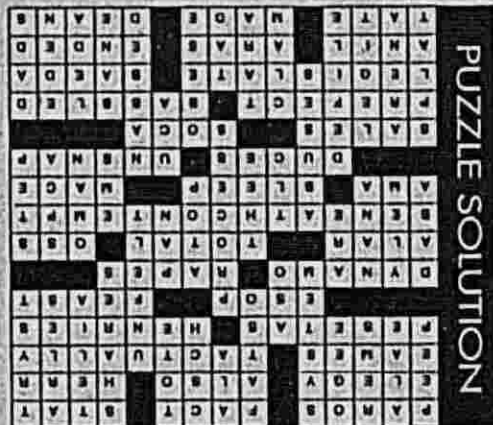
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25. Banquet
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30. Rapines
33. Apple spray
34. A quantity obtained by addition
35. Former CIA
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43. A way to delete
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45. Italian princes
46. Unfasten
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13. Rendezvous
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24. Judicial writ
26. Aba — do says Fred Flintstone
27. Mass of matter
28. Grandmother
29. They —
31. At the peak
32. Disparage
34. You
35. Asian nation
36. Prevents harm to creatures
37. A musical interval of two semitones
39. Mistreats
40. Nurse-patient relation
41. Type of RAM
45. Disgrace
46. Fiddler crabs
47. Picked up
48. Sound made by slapping
49. Sports venue
50. On the up-and-up, slang
52. Excessively fat
54. Bivalve
55. Scarlett's home
57. Affliction
58. Mother of Castor
59. "I Dream of Jeannie" star
60. Fathers
62. Small amount



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ARIES - March 21/April 20

Temper flare up on Wednesday, Aries, and you're smack-dab in the middle. Try to extinguish those feelings of anger. Be the bigger person, and end the argument early.

TAURUS - April 21/May 21

It will probably be a dull week for you, Taurus, as everything momentous is scheduled for the weeks to come. Enjoy the quiet time by catching up on some rest and relaxation.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Your dual personality comes into full play at work. You're playing both sides of a tricky situation late in the week. If either party catches you, there's bound to be trouble. Rethink your strategy.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

Your amiability could have you taken advantage of on Tuesday. Being friendly is one thing, being gullible is another. Keep your eyes wide open to avoid the trap.

LEO - July 23/August 23

You expected good news this week, Leo, but it's not going according to plan. Rest assured that it should arrive shortly, so keep a positive attitude toward the situation.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

A troublesome housemate is causing all types of turmoil in your usually organized life. You're at your wit's end with the situation. It may be best to sever all ties.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

You've reached a roadblock in your career path, Libra. If you can't decide what steps to take, consult a close confidant for some advice. Expect things to change next week.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

You have your eye on someone who isn't your current partner. If you're single, go for the adventure. If you're married, it's not worth the risk of discovery.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

You have much planning in store for the weeks to come, Sagittarius. There are parties galore, and you'll be at the center of every celebration. Enjoy the rush.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Home life has been putting a damper on your usually adventurous spirit. This week stays at status quo. Don't fight the quiet, embrace it; things are bound to bounce back shortly.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Your finances continue to be a subject of angst. You're making the situation worse that it really is. Crunch the numbers again and you'll find that you are in good shape.

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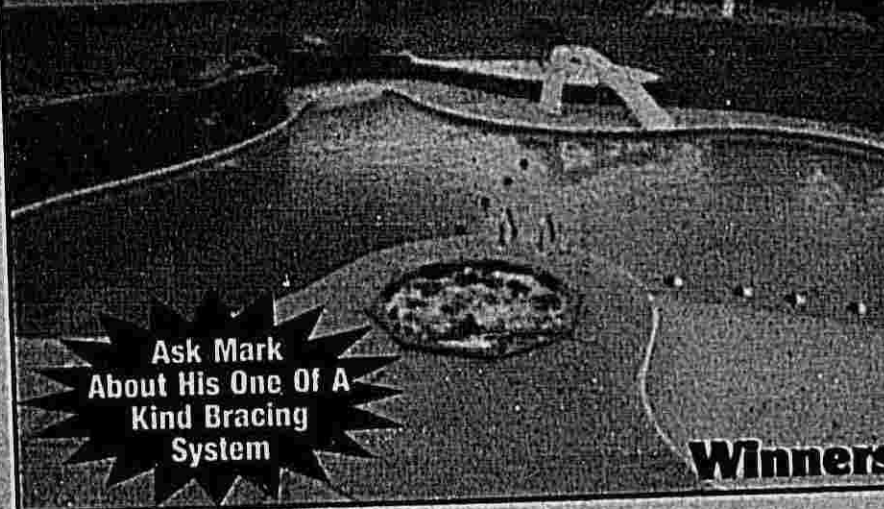
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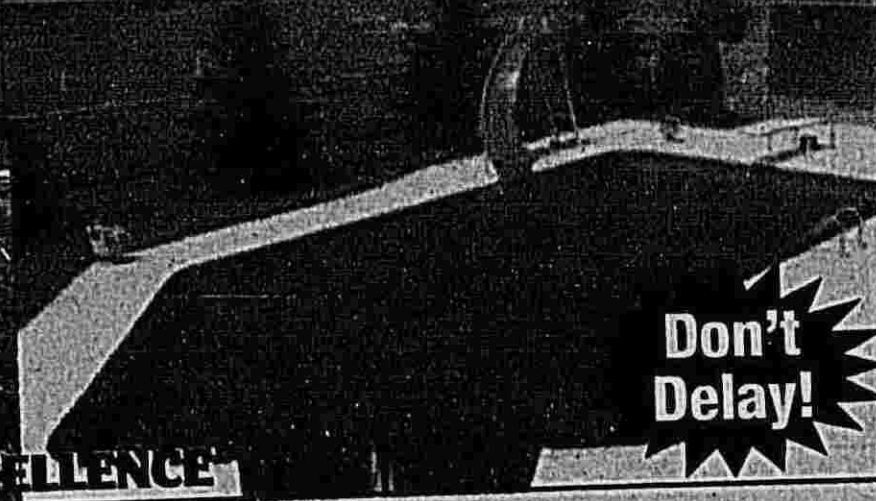
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Walk-behind or ride-on: **Which mower is right for you?**

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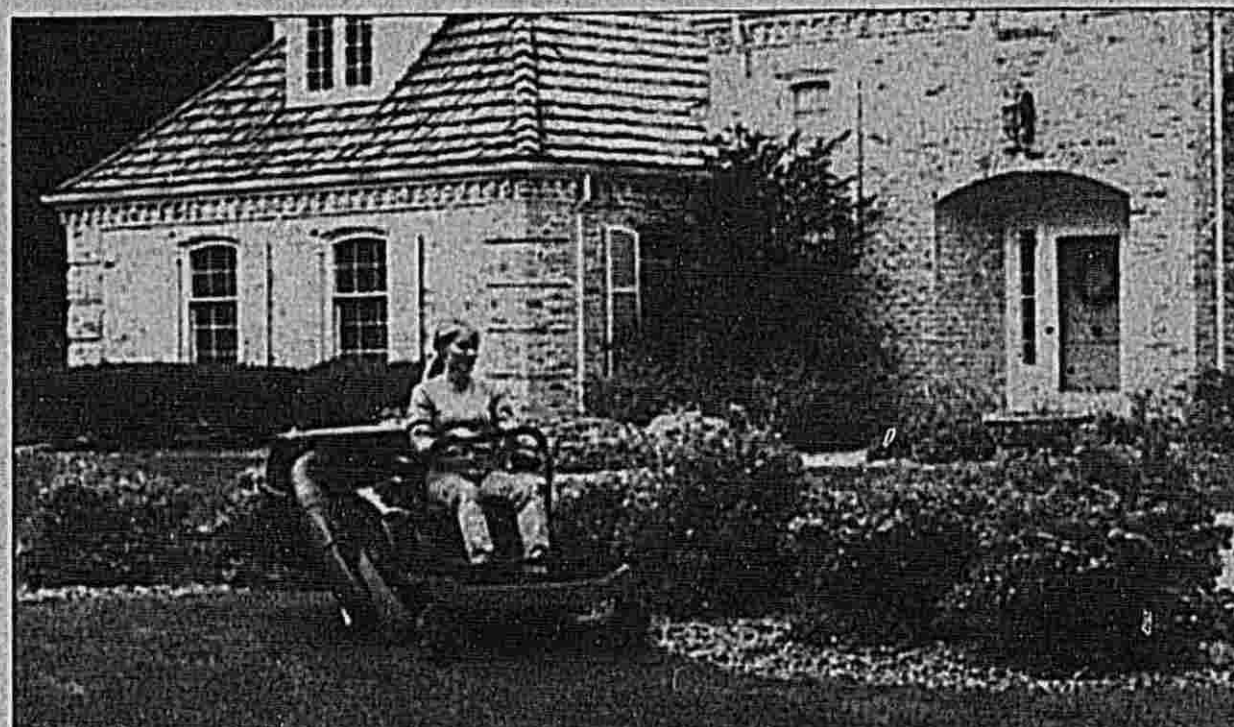
How large is my yard?

- Less than a 1/4 acre: A push electric or gas walk-behind unit is ideal for this size yard, especially if you are active and enjoy the physical aspects of the job.
 - 1/4 acre to 1/2 acre: Self-propelled gas walk-behind mowers muscle through the work for you, and are a good choice for the mid-sized yard.
 - More than 1/2 acre: For homeowners with more lawn and ample storage space, lawn and garden tractors are ideal. They also can bring the enjoyment of lawn care back into the lives of outdoor enthusiasts who aren't able to push a walk-behind mower.
- Once you determine the type of mower you need for your physical abilities and the size of your lawn, it's time to examine the features.

What do I want from my walk-behind mower?

If you've decided that a walk-behind model is right for you, take a closer look at the options. These days, walk-behind mowers offer features that add versatility and power beyond expectations.

- Mowing capabilities: The walk-behind mowers of today are great options for "getting the job done." With easy-start features and self-propelled drive trains that mow up to 4.8 mph and reduce time and physical effort, these mowers are impressive in the yard without being tough on the wallet.
- Debris collection and mulching: Features like baggers and mulchers eliminate the need for raking after mowing. With some mowers, the user can determine just how much to bag, mulch or both. Mulching also returns essential nutrients back into the soil for improved lawn health.
- Multi-functional uses: Walk-behind mowers are being manufactured with upgraded features like cruise control and a blade-brake clutch that allows the user to let go of the drive lever without the engine stopping.



What do I want from my lawn or garden tractor?

If you're investing in a lawn or garden tractor, price points vary significantly, so understanding your needs will help when trying to match them with a particular model.

- Mowing capabilities: Current lawn tractor models offer variable speeds, transmission choices and ergonomic designs like high-backed seats and electric PTO (power take off) for instant mower deck engagement. Most models offer basic debris collection and mulching options.
- Turning radius: Turning radii vary between models. Your needs are dictated by the size and shape of your lawn, including trees, corners and flowerbeds.
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Spring spruce- ups



Spring is here and that means it's time to get outdoors and spruce up your lawns and landscapes. But accomplishing a lush green lawn and lovely exterior doesn't need to cost you your tax return! With just a little elbow grease, there are several easy do-it-yourself projects that will make your home's exterior the envy of the neighborhood.

• Fertilize foliage

For colder climates, March is the month to begin fertilizing plants and trees. Use a quick-acting fertilizer to stimulate rapid spring growth. After fertilizing, be sure to mulch well. For grass, reseed any bare or brown patches in your lawn that are bigger than a pie plate, but hold off until April or May to fertilize. Any earlier and the grass is still partially dormant, and it'll only be the weeds that will take the food!

• Build a retaining wall

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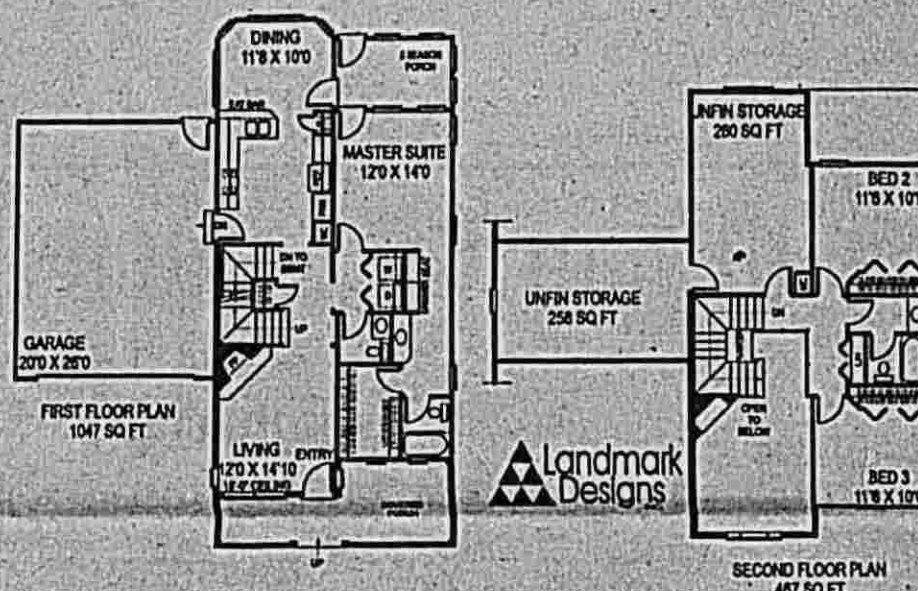
The front door opens into the living room with tall 18-foot ceilings. There is a corner fireplace adjacent to the stairs that lead up to the second floor and down to the basement. Beyond the stairs is the kitchen with a rear dining room. The kitchen runs along two walls with a pantry cabinet and an eating bar facing the dining room. There is a door to the two-car garage near the stairs.

to the master suite.

The master suite runs the entire length of right side. It has a nice sized suite area with plenty of windows. Built-in in the hall area leading to the master bath is a dresser and a vanity. The walk-in closet is large and long. The sink is in the hall, and the tub and stool are adjacent to the closet.

Across from the stairs to the second floor are the washer and dryer, tucked in a closet out of the way, as well as a half-bath for use by the family or guests. Upstairs there are two bedrooms, each with wall closets and full bath with a tub between. A large linen closet provides storage for the two rooms. There are two unfinished storage areas that could be developed later as bedrooms or play areas or just for storage.

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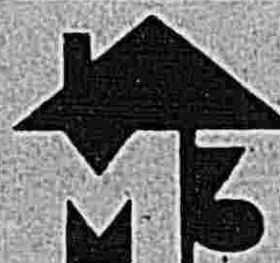
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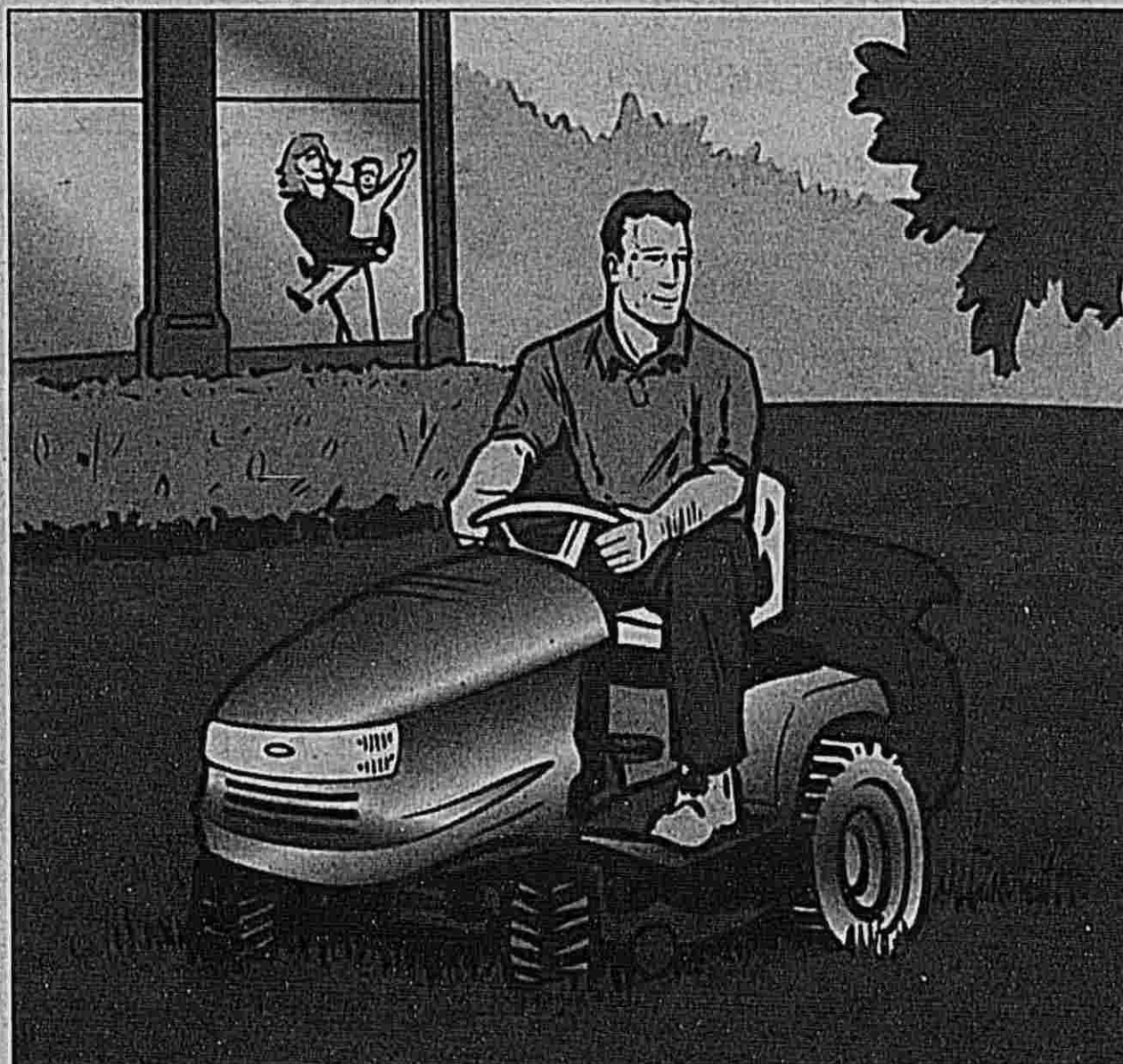
To keep your yard beautiful and safe, follow these safety tips:

- Keep children away from the work area. Period. Kids should remain inside while any type of walk behind, riding or hand-held outdoor power equipment is used.
- Riding mowers are designed for just that: mowing while riding. Riding mowers have many safety features for the operator but are not built for passengers or for towing children in carts or trailers.
- Children should not be permitted to play on or around the mower when it is in use or in storage. Stop machine if anyone enters the area.
- Turn off the mower if children do enter the work area, and store the ignition key away from a parked mower when not in use.
- Clear the mowing area of any objects such as twigs, stones and toys that could be picked up and thrown by lawn mower blades.
- Always look down and behind for children before and while backing up.
- Do not allow a child to operate a riding mower, or any type of outdoor power equipment.

Only allow responsible adults who are familiar with the instructions to operate a riding mower.

If necessary, hire a babysitter for an hour or two while you're doing your yardwork. Babysitters can be a cost effective way to help you prevent injuries.

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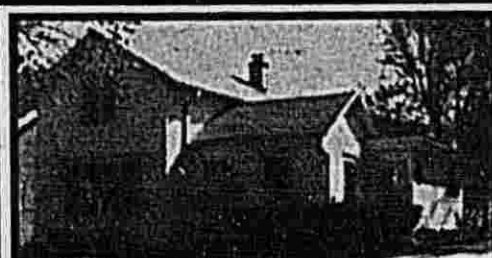
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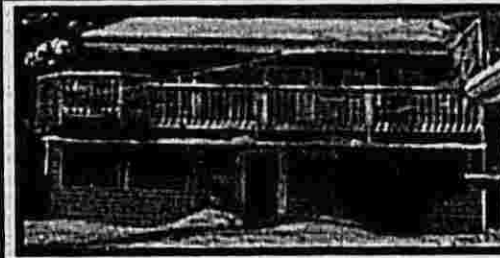
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1488 Eagle Ridge Drive, 599,999
39811 Long Dr., 168,010
207 Lakewood, 152,000
26375 Brown, 165,000
338 Bridgewood, 50,000
898 Heather Court, 224,500

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10140 Paddock, 207,500
10980 Yorkhouse, 160,000
12696 Blanchard Rd., 126,000
10170 Balford, 182,000
10427 Beach Rd., 197,000
12718 Blanchard, 119,000

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18360 Grand, 110,000
33770 Oak St., 147,000
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308 W. Hawthorn Blvd., 78,000
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555 Deepwoods Dr., 124,900
324 Shaddle, 212,000
20324 Buckthorn, 620,000
56 Walnut Ct., 189,000
406 Lakeview Dr., 235,000
27 California Ave., 348,000

ROUND LAKE

313 Maple Lane, 133,000
354 Sagebrush Circle, 184,000
520 Lakewood Terrace, 152,500
34325 Barberry Court, 139,500
34139 Hainesville, 184,000
679 Aldridge, 183,000
514 Spanky, 115,000
34340 Barberry Road, 153,050
34344 Barberry Road, 154,975
34320 Barberry Road, 133,390
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34323 Barberry Road, 157,750
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ROUND LAKE BEACH

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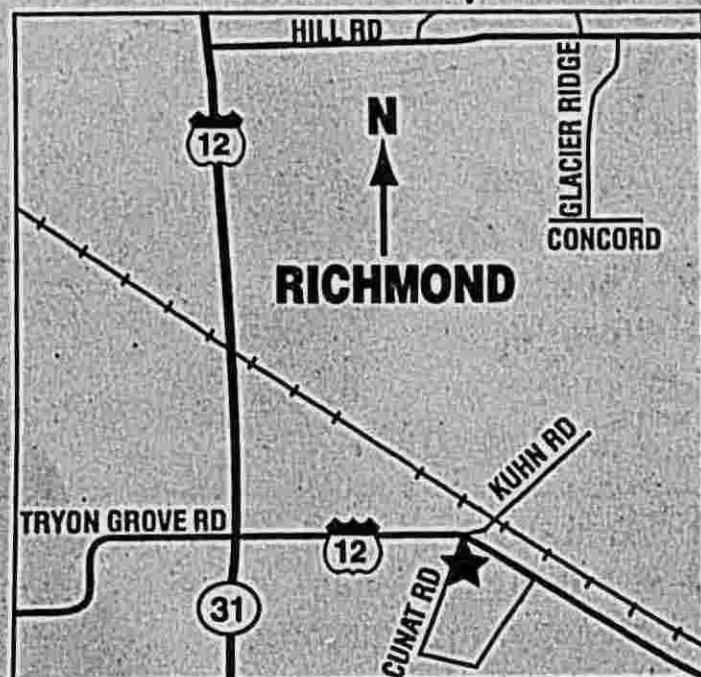
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The Illinois Landscape Contractors Association (ILCA) reminds homeowners that landscaping, plantings and outdoor living spaces all provide value to everyone's lives. Air quality is better because trees remove air pollutants. Groups of plants act as giant water filtration systems. Trees shading homes can reduce attic temperatures, and properly located trees can reduce air conditioning costs as much as 40 degrees. Homes with "excellent" landscaping can expect a sale price about six to seven percent higher than equivalent houses with "good" landscaping. And as for adding landscaping, it can bring a recovery value of 100 to 200 percent at selling time.

Bug watch:

Good news - no loud noise here - this year. Millions, no, trillions, of "singing" cicadas are showing their beady red eyes in the next few weeks when the soil temperature gets above 64 degrees Fahrenheit. But the experts are saying the Chicago area will not be affected as much as areas in the east where cicadas have been measured at up to 600,000 per acre—about 400 pounds of bugs.

Be aware, though, that last winter's warm temperatures may affect the insect population this summer. The Chicago area never experienced sufficiently sub-zero cold needed to naturally kill off these pests.

Check plants for three very common insects prevalent this time of year—mites, aphids and leafminers.

- Plants damaged by mites will be discolored. To detect mites, place a sheet of white paper under a branch and tap the branch to dislodge the pinhead-size spots which should begin to move after a few seconds. If not, smear the dots: if red, mites are present. Commonly affected plants are honeylocust, spruce, spirea and arborvitae.

- Aphids are small green insects that feed on leaves at the branch ends causing the leaves to curl and turn black. Commonly affected plants are hawthorn, crabapple, spirea, linden and ash.

- Lastly, leafminers leave brown tracks after hollowing out the leaves which eventually turn brown or appear as onion skins. Because the insect is inside the leaf, a systemic pesticide (one that travels through the plant) must be used. Commonly affected plants are hawthorns, birch and alder.

Check lawns too:

- Inspect your lawn for irregular brown patches from sod webworms. First evidence is adult moths flying about the lawn in the evening hours. The webworms (caterpillars) feed at night. Flooding the lawn with water will bring them to the surface from their daytime burrows. Visit your local garden center or call your professional landscape contractor for treatment procedure.

- Check out dead lawn patches that may be caused by grubs feeding on your lawn's roots - most active from mid-June to October. Peel back a small lawn area to see the culprits. As a general rule, if there are more than eight grubs per square foot, the area will not recover and needs replacing.

Watering reminders

- Sound water principles result in better plant health and water conservation. A simple method of testing moisture around plants is to insert a stick, a long thick screwdriver, root feeder or soil probe 12 inches into the root zone. Upon redrawing, a dry shaft indicates the plant needs water. A soil probe used the same way removes a soil plug for inspection. Most roots are in the top 18 inches of the soil.

- Check that plants under roof overhangs have enough water. Also, carefully check plants installed during the last couple of years because they do not yet have adequate water-absorbing root structures.

- Encourage deep rooting of trees and shrubs by infrequent, but thorough, watering. The

deeper the water flows into the soil, the deeper the roots will be. Frequent light-surface watering creates shallow roots that reach up toward moisture.

- Place soaker or porous hoses near the trunks of newly planted trees and out to the dripline (span of branches) for established trees. For those trees on steep slopes, lay the majority of the hose on the high side of the root zone and let the water run down to the lower side.

- Give lawns a slow, one-inch watering once a week during dry weather. Water in early morning to reduce evaporation and deter mold and fungus growth. Measure the amount of water applied by placing a coffee can under the path of the sprinkler.

Get the most from your plants and flowers:

- Remove spent flowers from summer annuals to encourage new bloom production and prevent the plant from wasting energy setting seed.

- For roses, remove the first faded blossoms by pruning back to the first five-leaflet leaf to encourage new growth. Continue monthly fertilizations and monitor for black spot and powdery mildew.

- On tomato plants, pinch off suckers (shoots that grow out from the junction of the stem and branches) to get more fruit production. Watch for hornworm, slugs and other garden pests which can damage plants and reduce yields.

- Provide acid-loving plants as azaleas and rhododendrons with mulch from pine needles (sometimes called pine straw) or leaf compost (preferably oak).

- Watch the growth on chrysanthemums, and plan to systematically trim back at least four times prior to July 4. Take up to one third off the height with each, pinching to produce lateral shoots for a more bushy appearance (to negate the need for staking), and more flowers in the fall.

- Houseplants can go outside. Place in shade to avoid foliage burn from higher light levels. Water well and feed throughout the summer.

Lawn reminders

- Set lawn mower height at three inches as daytime temperatures increase and the turf's growth rate slows down. Taller turf leaf blades help shade the roots and encourage deeper root development, especially beneficial during hot dry periods. The rule to not cut off more than one third of the grass blade still applies.

- Mulch shrub beds and tree rings with no more than a three inch layer of aged mulch to conserve moisture. Ideally, the ground moisture should be high at the time of mulching since future light rains will have difficulty penetrating the mulch layer.

Be prepared:

Inspect your watering tools inventory - hoses, sprinkler, drip hoses, etc. Make sure you have what you need to handle the first sign of plant water stress.

Scientific studies by the University of Illinois show that being surrounded by vegetation and nature reduces mental fatigue, reduces crime, reduces acts of aggression, and increases social activities and interaction between people simply because there are more common areas in which to meet, such as parks.

In the end, after all the studies are completed, the focus groups done, the data collected, the numbers tabulated and crunched, one may find that the ultimate, and perhaps the truly immeasurable, benefit is simply the beauty plants that bring into everyone's lives.

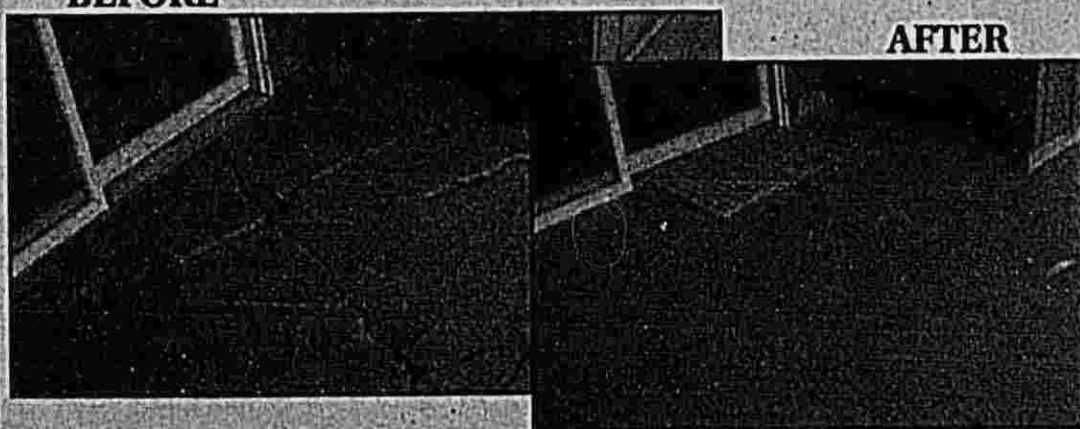
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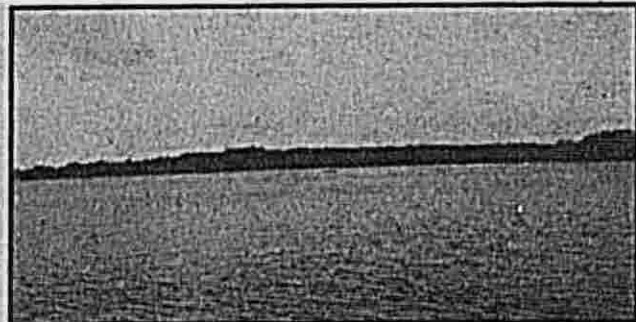
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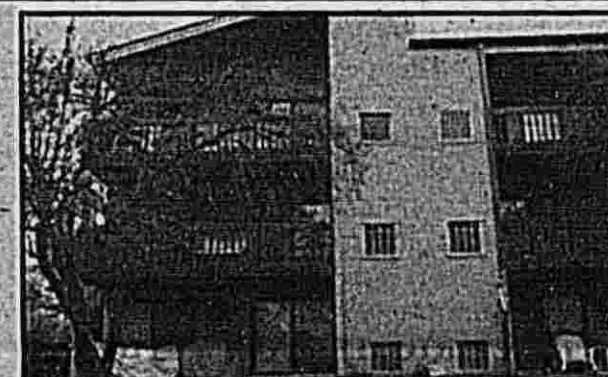
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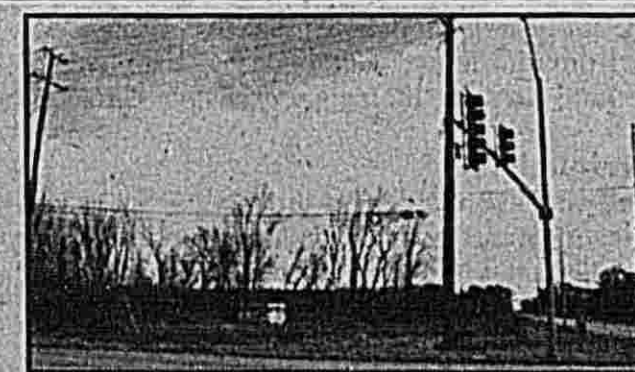
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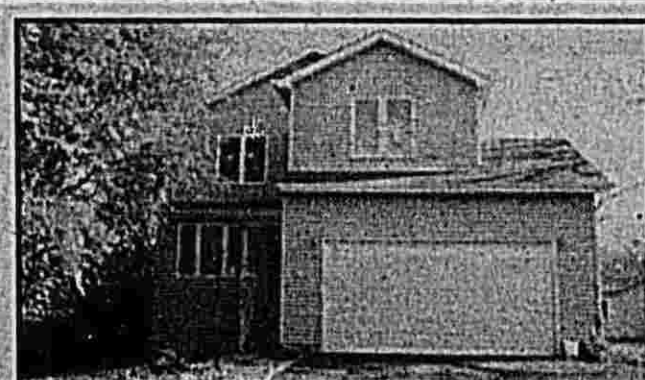
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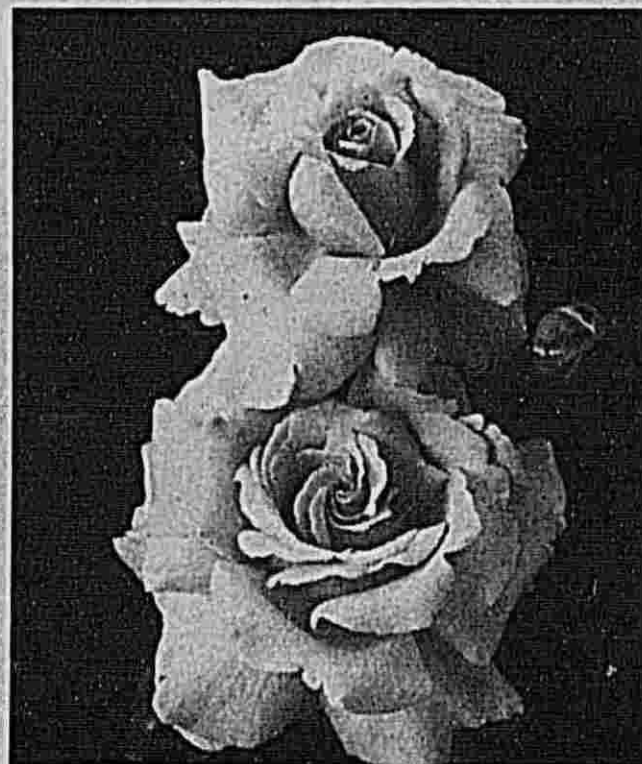
Memorial Day' is a new hybrid tea rose that's available at nurseries and garden centers this spring, and it's a "must-have" if you grow roses.

'Memorial Day' has enormous orchid-pink flowers that are saturated with classic old rose fragrance. In fact, this rose is intensely fragrant, and a single lovely long-stemmed cut bloom will perfume an entire room.

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Named to honor, celebrate, and remember, 'Memorial Day' was created by internationally renowned hybridizer Tom Carruth at Weeks Roses. It is a 2004 All-America Rose Selection. The rose is honored in several mass plantings at Arlington National Cemetery, where it stands tall and proud, colorful and fragrant.



'Memorial Day' has enormous, fragrant, orchid-pink blooms.



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In this Illinois Landscape Contractors Association (ILCA) Excellence in Landscape Award photo the water garden is just one of many gracious outdoor living spaces to which the family can retreat. At night the underwater illumination highlights the natural waterfall and bright blooming tropical water lilies. Photo credit: Illinois Landscape Contractors Association (ILCA) Excellence in Landscape Award



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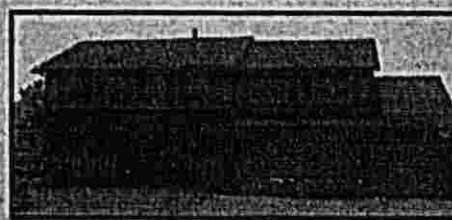
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How to create a bird-friendly environment



Bird watching continues to be a favorite American pastime enjoyed by young and old alike. What better way to relax and spend time together as a family or to teach children about nature than by sitting back and enjoying all the beautiful birds that might visit your yard?

To help maximize your viewing pleasure and ensure a steady flow of colorful songbirds, Lyric, a leading manufacturer of premium wild bird food, offers the following tips:

Most important is feeding consistency. The majority of serious bird watchers feed and continue to care for birds year-round, not just during the cold winter months when food sources are the scarcest. By establishing a regular food source, birds are more likely to get into the habit of visiting your yard for a consistent food supply rather than having to find alternative locations. Keep in mind, too, that even in the warmer months when natural food supplies are more abundant, birds are busy building nests and caring for their young, which means they could benefit from a convenient, nearby food source. The other reason to feed in the spring and summer months is to see birds you would not normally see. Birds migrating through are very grateful for a bite to eat along the way.

The second most important tip for consistently attracting wild birds to your yard is to create an environment that is inviting to them. This includes not just a bird feeder, but also shelter and a safe water source for drinking and bathing.

Keep in mind that birds have many natural predators. To make them feel more secure in your yard and more likely to stay, try to hang feeding stations near trees or bushes where birds can hide, if necessary. Evergreens are particularly appealing to birds because they provide shelter, protection from the weather, and an ideal nesting site. If you're adding trees or shrubs to your yard, locate them on the west or north ends of the property to help block the wind. Bird baths should also be placed near a tree or other structure that can potentially block colder north winds. And, of course, be sure to keep your cat indoors since more birds are killed each year by cats than from any other cause.

Remember that the key to attracting birds to your yard and motivating them to return again and again is no different than making company feel comfortable in your own home. Make their stay pleasant and enjoyable, and they are more likely to want to visit again.

Key to creating an inviting habitat is providing the right food. Lyric, like a number of other bird food manufacturers, markets a full line of products, including mixes developed to attract specific types of birds, such as chickadees. But for more universal appeal, you should consider a mix that offers a wide variety, such as Lyric Delite, which is scientifically designed to attract the birds you want and keep them coming. Made of premium ingredients, Lyric Delite is totally filler-

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Experts agree that birds innately know if seed is good or bad. If it's questionable in quality or condition, they will kick it aside, creating a mess beneath the feeder. But since Lyric Delite features only the highest quality ingredients, you're less likely to find a large mess beneath your feeder. Plus, there are no shells to fall to the ground. Shells are not only messy by themselves, but given the right weather conditions, they will eventually germinate into weeds and create additional problems. By eliminating shells in your feed mix, you will lessen your maintenance now and down the road. From an economic standpoint, you are also offering more bird dinners per pound than mixes that contain fillers and shells.

Another tip for making birds feel at home in your yard is to provide a clean environment. There are a number of fatal diseases that can originate from unclean food sources. Birds who feed on the ground beneath feeders are especially at risk. The best thing is to clean your feeders and the areas underneath them regularly—at least once a season, although once a month is ideal. Rubber gloves should always be used when handling and cleaning dirty feeders.

Tube feeders can be soaked in a bucket of hot water and a 10 percent bleach solution, and then brushed clean and dried before refilling. Wooden feeders should be scrubbed with a soap and water mixture, then allowed to dry for at least half a day, or until they are completely free of any residual moisture, which will promptly spoil any new food added to them.

Nectar feeders require even more frequent maintenance—daily in most cases—because sugar solutions ferment quickly in hot weather. Scrub these feeders thoroughly with a bottle brush before refilling with a four parts boiled water to one part white, granulated sugar solution or a commercially prepared nectar.

Another tip for keeping food in prime, unspoiled condition is to store it in a sealed container in a dry area. This is especially important for mixes that contain sunflower seeds, because insect eggs are often deposited on the sunflower when it's growing in the field and can hatch months later.

Water in bird baths should also be changed daily to prevent algae growth and hatching of mosquito larvae. As a further enticement, consider adding a dripper or mister, which will create movement on the water's surface and attract more interest.



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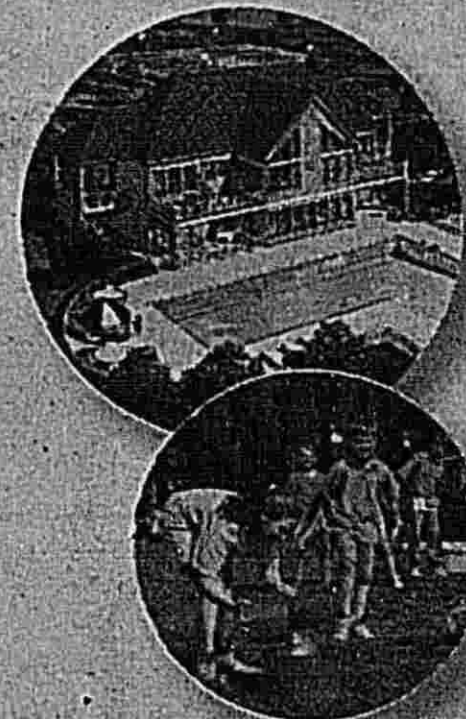
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